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Of the PRIVY COUNCIL.



IT is generally composed of the most eminent Persons in the Kingdom, fit to advise his Majesty upon all Emergencies ; and upon whose Wisdom, Vigilance, and Integrity depend in a great measure, the Honour and Welfare of his Majesty's Dominions in all Parts of the World ; as frequently determining Controversies of great Importance ; sometimes touching Lands and Rights between Party and Party, whereof there are very many Precedents: And the Judges of *England*, in some difficult Cases, were not wont to give Judgment until they had first consulted the King, and his *Privy Council*.

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The King may declare to, or conceal from his *Privy Counsellors* whatever he thinks fit ; and has a select *Council* out of their Number, commonly called, *The Cabinet Council*, with whom his Majesty determines such Affairs as are most Important, and require the utmost Secrecy.

By the Advice and Consent of the *Privy Council*, the King issues Proclamations, Declarations for War or Peace, for the Meeting or Dissolution of Parliaments and Convocations. Here all Great Officers of State, and Governors of the Plantations, and Islands of *Guernsey* and *Jersey*, are sworn, Sheriffs declared, and other Officers for publick Governments. From hence an Order of His Majesty in Council, is sufficient Authority to pass publick Grants for Incorporations, Patents, &c. Many kinds of Commissions, Instructions, *Noli Prosequi's*, Pardons, &c. Here all his Majesty's Subjects, or others, have free Access to deliver in to the Council-Board, Representations, Memorials, and Petitions ; and by Committees of this Board, are heard and determined any Grievances, Causes of Appeals, and Complaints from the Plantations, &c. And all Affairs relating to the Islands of *Jersey*, *Guernsey*, *Minorca*, and the Leeward Islands.

A Privy Counsellor, tho' but a Gentleman, has Precedency of all Knights, Baronets, Yeomen, Sons of Barons, and Viscounts, and is stiled, *Right Honourable* ; and their Persons are held so sacred, that since the late villainous Attempt of the Marquis *de Guiscard*, in the Council-Chamber, 'tis made *Felony* by Act of Parliament to make an Attempt against their Lives.

A Privy Counsellor is made by Virtue of an Oath only, *viz.* " That according to his Power, he shall
 " truly, justly, and equitably advise his Majesty in
 " all Matters to be treated of in Council, and to
 " keep them Secret.

General Councils, and Cabinet Councils, are usually held at the Court where his Majesty is actually residing ; and Committees at the *Cock-Pit* at *White-Hall*.

A Council is seldom or never held without the Presence of one of the Secretaries of State.

A List of the Lords and others of His Majesty's most Honourable Privy Council.

HIS Royal Highness
FREDERICK
LEWIS Prince of
Wales.

William Lord Archbishop
of *Canterbury.*

Peter Lord King, Ld High
Chancellor of *Great-*
Britain.

Lancelot Lord Archbishop
of *York.*

William Duke of *Devon-*
shire, Lord President
of the Council.

Thomas Lord *Trevor,*
Lord Privy Seal.

Lionel Duke of *Dorset,*
Lord Steward of His
Majesty's Household.

Charles Duke of *Grafton,*
Ld Chamberlain of His
Majesty's Household.

Charles Duke of *Bolton,*
Col. of the Royal Re-
giment of Horse Guards
Blue.

John Duke of *Argyll,* and
Greenwich, Master of
the Ordnance.

Francis Earl of *Godolphin,*
Groom of the Stole.

George Ld Visc. *Torrington,*
first Commissioner of the
Admiralty, Admiral of
the *Red,* and Com-
mander in chief of His
Majesty's Fleet, and
Rear-Admiral of *Engl.*

John Lord *Carteret,* Lord
Lieutenant of *Ireland.*

Thomas *Holles,* Duke of
Newcastle, one of His
Majesty's Principal Se-
cretaries of State.

Charles Lord Viscount
Townshend, one of His
Majesty's Principal Se-
cretaries of State.

Henry Ld Viscount *Lons-*
dale, Constable of the
Tower.

John Duke of *Roxburgh.*

Charles Duke of *Somer-*
set.

Henry Duke of *Kent.*

Peregrine D. of *Ancaster*
and *Kesteven,* Ld Great
Chamberl. of *England.*

- James Duke of Montrose.* | *Spencer Lord Wilmington,*
James Duke of Chandos. | Paymaster - General of
James Earl of Derby. | the Forces.
Thomas Earl of Pembroke. | *John Duke of Rutland,*
James Earl of Berkeley. | Chancellor of the Duchy
Thomas Earl of Westmore-
land. | of Lancaster.
Arthur Earl of Anglesey. | *Edmund Ld Bp. of London,*
Charles Earl of Carlisle. | Dean of the Chapel.
Daniel Earl of Nottingham. | *Sir Robert Walpole, Kt. of*
Montague Earl of Abingdon. | the Garter, first Commis-
William Earl of Coventry. | sioner of the Treasury,
George E. of Cholmondeley. | Chancellor and Under-
John Earl of Sutherland. | Treasurer of the Ex-
Hugh Earl of Loudoun. | chequer.
Archibald Earl of Islay. | *Arthur Onslow, Esquire,*
John Earl of Stair. | Speaker of the House
Henry Earl of Uxbridge. | of Commons.
George Earl of Hallifax. | *Sir Paul Methuen, Kt. of*
David Earl of Portmore. | the Bath, Treasurer of
James Earl of Finlater and | His Majesty's Household.
Seafield. | *Daniel Ld Finch, Comp-*
Charles Earl of Orrery. | troller of His Majesty's
Alexander Earl of March- | Household.
mont. | *Wm. Stanhope, Esq; Vice-*
Richard Ld Viscount Cob- | Chamberlain of His
ham, Governor of the | Majesty's Household.
Island of Jersey, and | *Sir Robert Raymond, Kt.*
Col. of His Majesty's | Lord-Chief-Justice of
own Royal Regiment | the Court of King's-
of Horse. | Bench.
Hugh Lord Viscount Fal- | *Sir Joseph Jekyll, Knt.*
mouth, Ld Warden of the | Master of the Rolls.
Stannaries, Vice-Trea- | *Sir Rob. Eyre, Kt. Lord-*
surer, and Paymaster- | Chief-Justice of the
General of Ireland. | Court of Common-Pleas.
William Lord Berkeley of | *Sir Charles Wills, Kt. of*
Stratton. | the Bath, Lieutenant-
 | Gen. of the Ordnance.
 | *William*

William Pulteney, Esq;
Sir Robert Sutton, Kt. of
the Bath, and Baronet.
Henry Pelham, Esq; Secretary
at War.

Clerks of his Majesty's
 most Honourable Privy
 Council in Ordinary.

Right Honourable }
Edw. Southwell, } Esqs;
James Vernon, }
Temple Stanyan,

Clerks Extraordinary.

Walter Cary, }
Wm. Sharpe, Jun. } Esqs;
Charles Greenwood, }
Thomas Beak, Esq; Under
Keeper of the Council
Records.

Clerks in the Council Office.

Thomas Beake, } Esqs;
Wm. Sharpe, Jun. }

Keepers of the Council-
 Chamber.

Mr. Robert Armsworth.
Mr. Edward Salter.

Of the Secretaries of State.

TILL the Reign of King *Henry VIII.* there was but one Secretary of State, when that Prince thought fit to have this Office discharged by two Persons of equal Power and Authority, and both called Principal Secretaries of State; whose Employment being of great Trust, makes them very Considerable. Before Queen *Elizabeth's* Time they did not sit in Council, but only prepar'd Business for the Council-Board in a Room adjoining to the Council-Chamber; which done, they came in, and stood one on the Right Hand, and the other on the Left.

As for Domestick Affairs both publick and private, the two Secretaries of State do equally receive whatsoever is brought to them, be it for the Crown, the Church, the Militia, private Grants, Pardons, Dispenfations, &c. except *Ireland* and the *Plantations*, which properly belong to the elder Secretary. Petitions to the Sovereign, when read, are return'd to the Secretaries for Answer, all which they dispatch according to the King's Command and Direction.

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As to Foreign Affairs, they are divided into two Provinces; the Lord Viscount *Townshend* has now the *Northern* Province, as the *Low Countries*, *Germany*, *Denmark*, *Sweden*, *Poland*, and *Muscovy*: And the Duke of *Newcastle* the *Southern*, as *France*, *Switzerland*, *Spain*, *Italy*, *Portugal*, *Turkey*, &c.

On the 3d of *February* 1708-9. Her late Majesty Queen *Anne*, in Council, was pleased to declare, That the Publick Business encreasing (by reason of the happy *Union* with *Scotland*) she had thought fit to appoint a *third Secretary of State* for that Part of *Great-Britain*, which Office at present is vacant.

The Secretaries of State have the Custody of that Seal which is properly called the *Signet*, and gives Denomination to an Office called the *Signet Office*, wherein are four Clerks employed, who prepare such Things as are to pass the *Signet*, in order to the *Privy* or *Great Seal*. All Grants signed by the King are returned hither, which transcribed, are carried to one of the principal Secretaries of State, and sealed, and then it is called a *Signet*; which being directed to the Lord Privy Seal, is his Warrant. Depending on the *Secretaries Office* is likewise an Office called the *Paper Office*, the Keeper whereof has in his Custody and Charge, all the Publick Papers, Writings, and Matters of State, Council Letters, &c. of the publick Ministers abroad, and generally all the Letters and Dispatches which pass thro' the Secretaries Offices, which are deposited in a sort of Library at *Whitehall*.

All the Under-Secretaries and Clerks are in the Choice of the Secretaries of State, without Reserve to any Person; the former of which receives Orders and Directions from them for writing Dispatches Foreign or Domestick, which they give to the Chief Clerk, who distributes them to the Under-Clerks. The Salaries of the Secretaries of State, are each 1850*l.* per *Annum*, with the Fee of 100*l.* a Year out of

of the Exchequer ; and the lawful Perquisites make it computed worth 8000 *l. per Annum*. The Under-Secretaries have no Salaries, but their Fees and Perquisites make them ample Amends. The Salaries of the Chief Clerks in each Office are 100 *l. per Ann*. The first of the other Clerks in each Office, as Clerk and Translator 100 *l.* and the rest 40 *l.* each.

There are Forty Messengers that are chiefly under the Direction of the Secretaries of State, being always ready to be sent with all manner of Dispatches Foreign and Domestick : They are also employ'd with the Secretaries Warrants to take up Persons for High Treason, Libelling, or other Offences against the State, which do not at first so properly fall under the Cognizance of the Common Law, and are perhaps not fit to be divulged in the ordinary Course of Justice. Such Prisoners as they apprehend are usually kept at their own Houses, for which they are allowed by the Government 6 *s.* 8 *d. per Diem*. When they are dispatch'd Abroad, they have an Allowance for their Journey as stated, *viz.* to *Paris* 30 *l.* to *Holland* 25 *l.* to *Edinburgh* 30 *l.* to *Ireland* 30 *l.* and so in Proportion to other Places ; part of which Money is advanced them for their Journey. They are oftentimes dispatch'd to very remote Parts, as *Italy*, *Germany*, *Spain*, *Constantinople*, &c. They wait Twenty at a time Monthly, distributed, Ten on the Two Secretaries of State, and the rest on his Majesty, the Council, and the Lord Chamberlain of his Majesty's Household, in whose Gift are their Places, and if purchas'd, are reckon'd worth 300 *l.* and upwards.

There are two Clerks to cheque the Messengers Bills for Journeys, Keeping of Prisoners, &c.

His

His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

Right Honourable *Charles*
Lord Viscount *Town-*
shend.

His Grace *Thomas Holles*
Duke of *Newcastle.*

Under-Secretaries.

Under-Secretaries.

George Tilson,
Honourable *Tho-* } Esqs;
mas Townshend,

Charles Delafay, } Esqs;
Temple Stanyan,

Chief Clerk.

Chief Clerk.

John Wace, Esq;

Daniel Preverau, Esq;

Clerk and Translator.

Clerk and Translator.

Mr. *Payzant.*

Daniel Preverau, Esq;

With several Under-
Clerks.

With several Under-
Clerks.

Office-Keepers.

Office-Keepers.

Thomas Smith,
Isaac Burrows.

Alexander Ward,
Joseph Noble.

The Seal or Signet of *Scotland* is now in the
Custody of *Reynold Campbell,* Esq;

Clerks of the Signet.

Keeper of the Papers and
Records of State.

Joseph Moyle, }
Peter Alexander, } Esqs;
Gauntlet Frye, }
Charles Delafay,

John Wace, Esq;
Salary 160 l. per Ann.

Deputies.

Latin Secretary.

Mr. *William Marwood,*
Mr. *Thomas Fisher.*

Thomas Lee, Esq;
Salary 200 l. per Ann.

Office-Keeper.

Nicholas Fountaine.

Decypherer

Decypherer of Letters.
Sir *Thomas Brand*.

Embellisher, &c.

Writer of the *London Gazette*.

Samuel Buckley, Esq;
Salary 300 l. per Ann.

Messengers in Ordinary
to his Majesty.

Thomas Newlin

Anthony Dagley

Joseph Smith

John Brighter

Enoch Mottram

William Brown

John Bill

John Turner senior

George Gordon

Edward Davis

Valentine Randall

John Hutchins

Robert Martyr

Thomas Over

Peter-John Du Commins

Elias Chalk

Daniel Chandler

John Cooper

John Crawford

Francis Lyng

Daniel Molloye

John Ashlock

John Turner junior

Henry Gould

Jude Stores

Thomas Bineham

John Parry

Joseph Ellis

Matthew Avison

Samuel Crew

Andrew Holwell

John Baillie

Joseph Walton

John Wiggs

Robert Gollen

Nicholas Sharpe

John Over

Nathan Carrington

John Bowie

Richard Pritchard

Messenger in Extraordin^y.

William Webster

Clerks of the Cheque upon
the Messengers in Or-
dinary.

Mr. *William Sharpe*

Mr. *James Barbourne*

A LIST of his MAJESTY'S Household.

LORD STEWARD of the King's Household,
and the Servants under his Direction.

He was antiently the highest Officer under the
King, and is now the principal Officer for the Civil
Government of his Majesty's Servants below Stairs,
the

the Officers over whom he presides being to be seen in the Order following. He is constituted by the Delivery of a White Staff, which is esteem'd his Commission. By virtue of his Office, without any other Commission, he judges all Offences committed within the Court, or the Verge thereof, and gives Judgment according to their several Demerits: At the Death of the Sovereign he breaks his Staff over the Hearse wherein the Royal Corps is deposited, and thereby discharges all the Officers under his Jurisdiction.

Lionel Duke of Dorset.

Wages 100 l. per Annum.

Board-Wages 1360 l.

In the Gift of the King.

Treasurer of the Household.

The next Officer of the Household is Treasurer, one of the three Staff-Officers below Stairs. He hath Power, in the Lord Steward's Absence, with the Comptroller and other Officers of the *Green Cloth*, to hear and determine Offences committed within the Verge, and that by Verdict of the King's Household.

Sir Paul Methuen, Knight of the Bath.

Wages 123 l. 13 s. 8 d.

Board-Wages 1076 l. 5 s. 4 d.

Also in the King's Gift.

Comptroller of the Household,

Cheques all Accompts and Reckonings of the *Green Cloth* relating to the Household, and sits at Trials, as aforesaid, next the Treasurer, and is likewise a White-Staff Officer.

Right Honourable *Daniel Lord Finch*.

Wages 107 l. 17 s.

Board-Wages 1092 l. 2 s. 6 d.

In the Gift of the King.

Cofferer

Cofferer of the King's Household.

He pays the Wages of several of the King's Servants above and below Stairs, especially those who are paid by Debentures, and for Provisions, by the Direction and Allowance of the *Green Cloth*; and likewise sits on Trials and Judgments with the Lord Steward, in the Court of Verge.

William Sloper Esq; in Trust for the Countess of Lincoln.

Wages 100 *l*.

Board-Wages 400 *l*.

In the King's Gift.

Master of the Household.

His Duty is to Survey the Accompts of the Household, and he is stiled Honourable.

Sir Conyers D'Arcye, Knight of the Bath.

Wages 66 *l*. 13 *s*. 4 *d*.

Board-Wages 433 *l*. 6 *s*. 8 *d*.

In the King's Gift.

Clerks of the Green Cloth.

These Officers compose the *Board of Green Cloth*, so called from a Green Cloth where they sit, on which is depicted the Arms of the Accompting-House, viz. *Vert*, a Key *Or*, and a Staff *Argent Saltire*, signifying their Power to Reward or Punish, and is properly a Court of Justice continually sitting in the King's House. To which also belong four principal Clerks, who are Officers of good account; they have their Business and Attendance at Court assign'd them by the Board of *Green Cloth*. All Bills of Comptrolment, &c. relating to the Office, are allotted and allowed by the Clerks Comptrollers, and

summ'd up and audited by the Clerks of the Green Cloth. They likewise sit in Judgment with the Lord Steward, on Trials, &c.

Sir Thomas Read, Bart.

Thomas Wynne, Esq;

Clerks Comptrollers.

Thomas Hales, Esq;

Robert Bristow, Esq;

Wages 44 l. 6 s. 8 d.

Board-Wages 455 l. 13 s. 4 d.

In the King's Gift.

Note, All the Officers following, below Stairs, under the Lord Steward, are in his Gift.

Accompting-House.

It is called the Accompting-House, because the Accompts for all the Expences of the Houshold are there daily taken, and Provision made for the Payment and Well-governing the same.

Yeomen.

Luder Spicemaker, }
Sackville Bale, } 78 l. per Ann. each.

Grooms.

Archibald Campbell, }
William Paul, } 57 l. 8 s. 4 d. per Ann. each

Chamber-Keepers.

Meredith Lloyd, }
Edward Davis, } 20 l. per Ann. each

Bake-House.

Here is baked all the King's Bread, and Bread for the Houshold, &c. which is deliver'd into the Pantry every Day.

Thomas Holland, Esq; Clerk, 80 l. per Ann.

Yeoman.

John Clarke, 50 l. per Ann.

Grooms,

Grooms.

Eustace Tomlins, } 40 l. per Ann. each.
Thomas Collins,

Pantry,

Takes Care to prepare Necessaries for the King's Table, and have the Charge of the Plate.

Paul Lingen, Gent. and Yeoman, 60 l. per Ann.

Grooms.

Charles Justice, } 40 l. per Ann. each.
John Gould,

Buttery.

In the Buttery is kept all the Liquors, except the Wine, and deliver'd out to the Officers in Waiting.

Yeomen.

Peter Campbell, Gent. 60 l. per Ann.
John Turner, Yeoman, 50 l. per Ann.

Grooms.

Tandens van Sanden, } 40 l. per Ann. each.
Samuel Beard,
Charles Hayes,

Cellar,

Has the Custody of all the King's Wine, and of the Private Cellar for all Presents made to the King.

Keeper of the Store-Cellar.

James Cockburne, 100 l. per Ann.
Samuel Towers, Gent. 60 l. per Ann.

Yeomen.

Francis Cocky Furnis, } 50 l. per Ann. each.
Henry Allen,
James Strong,

Grooms.

William Smith, } 40 l. per Ann. each.
Augustine Jones,

Spicery.

Spicery.

The Clerk of the Spicery keeps and delivers out all the Spice, &c. for the Service of the Household, which he receives from the Tradesmen, and keeps Accounts of the same.

Richard D'Avenant, Esq; Clerk, 100 l. per Ann.

Confectionary.

There are three Confectionaries, that prepare all such kind of Delicates for the King's Table, as Desserts of Sweet-meats, Jellies, Fruits, &c.

Yeomen.

John Fraigneau,
John Du Commin, } 50 l. per Ann. each.

Groom.

Andrew Ferre, 40 l. per Ann.

Ewry,

Takes care of the Linnen for the King's own Table, lays the Cloth, and serves up Water in the Silver Ewers after Dinner; whence the Office has its Name.

Thomas Baduech, Gent. 60 l. per Ann.

Yeoman.

Robert Jenkinson, 50 l. per Ann.

Grooms.

David Munroe,
George Cook, } 40 l. per Ann. each.

Lazendry,

Takes care of washing all the Table and Household Linen.

Dorothy Phillips, Laundress of the Table and Household Linnen, 120 l. per Ann.

King's Privy Kitchen.

The Clerks of the Kitchen wait upon, and appoint the King's and Household Diet; and wait upon Foreign

Foreign Princes and Ambassadors, when the King entertains them. The chief Clerk keeps all the Books and Papers relating to the Office; and makes up all Bills for Salaries, Provisions, and Necessaries, issuing from the Offices of the Pantry, Buttery, and Cellar; with several other Duties, which oblige him to constant Waiting.

The second Clerk waits and appoints the Diet as aforesaid; and likewise attends the King in his Progress, when appointed by the *Green-Cloth*. They wait in Turns by Months.

The Cooks have their Waiting in Turns likewise Monthly, and have Diet during Waiting. The chief Cook has an Allowance for the first Dish sent up to the King's Table.

The Yeomen are chiefly employ'd in Soups, Ragoufts, &c. The Grooms for boil'd Meats, and the Children for all Meats roasted, and each of these has his proper Station in the Kitchen. Of the Scourers, Turn-Broaches, &c. nothing need be said, they carry their own Denomination.

Chief Clerk.

Henry Lowman, Esq; 250 l. per Ann.

Second Clerk.

James Eckerfall, Esq; 150 l. per Ann.

Master-Cook.

Charles Brexton, Esq; 150 l. per Ann.

Second Master-Cook.

Claude Arnaud, sen. Esq; 120 l. per Ann.

Yeoman of the Mouth.

William Daniel, 60 l. per Ann.

Yeomen.

Yeomen.

<i>William Collins,</i>	}	60 l. per Ann. each.
<i>Henry Lyon,</i>		
<i>John Ayres,</i>		
<i>Henry Evans,</i>		

Grooms.

<i>Claude Arnaud, jun.</i>	}	50 l. per Ann. each.
<i>John Thornborough,</i>		
<i>Daniel Durant,</i>		
<i>John Conyers,</i>		

Children.

<i>Rich. Higerson Hubbart,</i>	}	40 l. per Ann. each.
<i>William Chambers,</i>		
<i>Thomas Griffith,</i>		

Scourers.

<i>John Hobs,</i>	}	30 l. per Ann. each.
<i>Thomas Percival,</i>		

Turn-Broaches.

<i>Samuel Edmonds,</i>	}	30 l. per Ann. each.
<i>Jos. Eatwell,</i>		
<i>Edward Green,</i>		
<i>Simon Tork,</i>		

Door-keeper.

William Gamul, 30 l. per Ann.

Acatery.

The Acatery is properly a Cheque betwixt the Clerks of the Kitchen, and the Purveyors. The Yeoman of the Salt-Stores is Purveyor of all Salt-Stores, as well as Keeper thereof; and his Place, tho' of a small Salary, is still very considerable.

Serjeant.

James Halsey, Esq; 60 l. per Ann.

Sole Clerk of the *Acatery.*

Henry Powel, Esq; 120 l. per Ann.

Yeoman

Yeoman of the Salt-Stores.

William Price, 15 l. per Ann.

Larder.

In the Larder they take care to weigh all Meat, and then deliver it out to the Cooks ; so that they are capable to keep Accounts as a Cheque upon the Purveyors ; which Accounts they give in to the Board of *Green-Cloth*, by Order of the Clerk of the Kitchen.

Yeomen.

<i>John Wildon,</i>	}	50 l. per Ann. each.
<i>John Everitt,</i>		

Grooms.

<i>Charles Marriot,</i>	}	40 l. per Ann. each.
<i>Simon Laponge,</i>		
<i>Samuel Colebatch,</i>		

Poultry,

Are Purveyors of Butter, Eggs, Fruit, Pulse, and all Greens, &c. and deliver them out according to the Bill of Fare, which being brought to them, they take care to have provided.

Clerk.

John Sharw, Esq; 80 l. per Ann.

Yeoman.

Thomas Butter, 50 l. per Ann.

Grooms.

<i>George Acres,</i>	}	40 l. per Ann. each.
<i>Isaac Grassigneau,</i>		

Scalding-House.

These, and many other of the Servants of the Household, were in ancient Times very considerable, when the several Counties were Taxed in Provisions to supply the Court : They then took care of the Fowls, &c. and still receive Fowls from the Poulterers, and make them ready for the Cooks to dress, to whom they deliver them.

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Yeoman.

Yeoman.

Stephen Towers, 50 l. per Ann.
Grooms.

Henry York, }
Hugh Parry, } 40 l. per Ann.

Pastry,

Bake all Things for the Family, according to the Bill of Fare which they receive from the Clerk of the Kitchen.

Yeoman.

Thomas Salter, 50 l. per Ann.
Grooms.

Thomas Brown, }
John Smith, } 40 l. per Ann. each.

Child.

Edward Allen, 30 l. per Ann.
Salfary-man.

James Towers, 30 l. per Ann.
Turner.

William Murray, 30 l. per Ann.

Scullery,

Wash and clean all the King's Plate, which they have Charge of for a Time; and also the Pewter and other Things used at Table for the King's Household.

Yeomen.

William Popleton, }
William Cook, } 50 l. per Ann. each.

Grooms.

James Cockbur, }
John Allen, } 40 l. per Ann. each.

Pages.

Robert Chambers, }
Francis Thompson, } 35 l. per Ann. each.

Children

Children.

James Calboun,
John Thompson,
Thomas Winwood, } 50 l. per Ann. each.

Pan-Keepers.

Richard Turner,
John Bamford,
Robert Emms, } 30 l. per Ann. each.

Servant.

Sarah Allen, 31 l. 17 s. 6. d. per Ann.

Pewter Scourer.

John Thomas, 30 l. per Ann.

Wood-Tard,

Provide the King's Wood, and keep the Stores,
 and Accounts of it.

Clerk.

Edward Parsons, Esq; 80 l. per Ann.

Yeoman.

Samuel Grice, 50 l. per Ann.

Groom.

Somerset English,
Samuel Nash, } 40 l. per Ann. each.

Harbingers.

Whenever the King travels, they take Lodgings
 for his Majesty, and the Household, and ride a Day
 before.

Gentleman Harbinger.

Peter La Roche, 60 l. per Ann.

Yeomen.

Luke Darrington,
Robert Parsons,
John Scheen,
John Campbell,
Charles Steward, } 50 l. per Ann. each.

Porters at the Gate.

The Serjeant-Porter hath the Command of all the rest, who have their Waiting by Turns, and a Lodge in the King's Palace Gate, where they wait with a Black Staff, and take Care the Way be kept clear, and no Disorders or Tumults gather'd in or about the Palace.

Serjeant-Porter.

Philip Cavendish, Esq; 120 l. per Ann.

Ycomen.

<i>James Lovet,</i>	}	<i>50 l. per Ann. each.</i>
<i>Robert Vernon,</i>		
<i>James Butcher,</i>		
<i>Charles Miller,</i>		

Grooms.

<i>Philip Hanchet,</i>	}	<i>40 l. per Ann. each.</i>
<i>Adam Bagshaw,</i>		
<i>Edgar Parker,</i>		

Carr-Takers.

When the Court Travels, they have Charge to provide Waggon, Carts, &c. to transport the King's Furniture and Baggage.

Yeoman.

<i>Richard Fielder,</i>	}	<i>50 l. per Ann. each.</i>
<i>David Kilmayne, dead,</i>		

Grooms.

<i>Richard Withey,</i>	}	<i>40 l. per Ann. each.</i>
<i>David Rice,</i>		

Tail-Carr-Takers.

These had antiently, when the Court was furnish'd with Provisions by the several Counties, considerable Employments; being employ'd for conveying such Provisions to Court. They had also, by an antient Statute and Privilege, the Licensing some Carts which work'd in the City, and had Fees for it, which were a good Addition to their small Salaries.

Anthony

Anthony Bruce,
Peter Metcalfe,
Simon Boffwel,
Francis Green,

} 2 l. 13 s. 4 d. per Ann. each.

Almonry,

The Officers here are under the Lord-Almoner, and attend as Occasion requires. One of them constantly distributes the King's Alms at the Palace-Gate.

Yeoman.

John Eddowes, 50 l. per Ann.

Groom.

Richard Blakefmore, 40 l. per Ann.

Officers of the Hall.

In former Times, when there was publick and open House-keeping in *England*, these Officers of the Hall had their Stations assign'd them in the Halls of Noblemen, &c. especially where the Sovereign dined. At present their Places are little more than *Sine Cures*, and are intended to be sunk as the present Incumbents die.

John Phillips,
William Paul,

} 30 l. per Ann. each.

Marshalsea.

The Knight Marshal is an Officer employ'd in the King's Court or *Marshalsea*, and the Marshal's Men under him are properly the King's Bailiffs. They Arrest in the Verge of the Court, when a Warrant is back'd by the Board of *Green-Cloth*. The Knight-Marshal and his Men have place in all publick Cavalcades, as Declaring of War, Proclaiming of Peace, Publick Entries of Ambassadors, &c. There is a Court also deriv'd from this, for the Tryal

Tryal of Causes between Party and Party, call'd the *Palace Court*, held at the *Marshalsea* in the *Borough* of *Southwark* every *Friday*, of which *Sir John Darnel*, Knight, is Judge, but is under the Knight-Marshal.

Knight-Marshal.

Sir Philip Meadows, Knight, 26 l. per Ann.

Marshal's Men.

<i>William Agar,</i>	} 20 l. per Ann.
<i>James Wallington,</i>	
<i>William Burley,</i>	
<i>John North,</i>	
<i>Obadiab Silcock,</i>	
One vacant.	

These are generally stiled Constables or Bailiffs of his Majesty's Household; and none but these have Power to Arrest within the *Verge*.

Verge.

The Clerk of the *Verge*, is Clerk of the Court of *Verge* upon Tryals before the Board of *Green Cloth* for Offences committed within the *Verge*.

Clerk.

John Hardisty, 33 l. per Ann.

Coroner.

He sits upon all dead Bodies who die unnatural Deaths within the *Verge*.

Robert White, 30 l. per Ann.

Wine Porters,

Convey the Wine from the King's Cellars to Court, where they deliver it to the proper Officers, and are under the Yeomen of the Wine Cellar.

Clerk

Clerk to the four Officers of the Board of Green-Cloth,

Have all the Business in the way of Clerkship which relates to the Board of Green-Cloth. They are appointed by the Clerks of the Green-Cloth.

<i>Mr. Herbert Price,</i>	<i>Mr. William Morrison,</i>
<i>Mr. Luder Spicemaker,</i>	<i>Mr. John Skinner.</i>

There are Porters, Under-Porters, Lamplighters, Turncocks, Bell-ringers, Cartloaders, Watchmen, Cleaners of the Sess-Pools, &c. belonging to the several Palaces, that have Salaries, and are under the Jurisdiction of the Lord Steward.

These following have no Salaries, but are Warrant Officers, and are much sought after, requiring good Interest to be obtained, and are in the Lord Steward's Gift, *viz.*

Purveyors.

Fishmongers,	{	<i>Thomas Broughton,</i>
		<i>Edward Watson,</i>
		<i>Thomas Newman.</i>

Poulterers,	{	<i>Anthony Widbrid,</i>
		<i>Charles Nicholls,</i>

Linen-Drapers,	{	<i>John Day,</i>
		<i>Henry Warchop.</i>

Grocers,	{	<i>Miles Harper, Esq;</i>
		<i>Philip Miles.</i>

Oilman,	— —	<i>Robert Burton.</i>
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Brewer,	— —	<i>William Huckes, Esq;</i>
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Butchers,

Butchers, { *Robert Bland,*
 { *Mark Bowes,*
 { *Thomas Ruffel.*

Purveyors of Bacon, { *William Wayte,*
 { *John Snowden.*

Brazier and Iron- { *Samuel Bowling.*
 monger,

Pewterer, ——— *Robert Nicholson.*

Tallow-Chandlers, { *Thomas Bradford,*
 { *Thomas Cuthbert.*

Water-Engine-maker, *John Grey.*

*Lord Chamberlain of the King's Household, and
 the Officers and Servants under his Direction;
 and other Officers above Stairs.*

THE Lord Chamberlain has the principal Command of all the King's Servants above Stairs (except in the Bed-Chamber, which is wholly under the Groom of the Stole) who are all sworn by him, or by his Warrant to the Gentleman-Ushers. He has also Inspection of all the Officers of the Wardrobe at all the King's Houses, and of the Removing Wardrobes, Beds, Tents, Revels, Musick, Comedians, Hunting, Messengers, Trumpeters, Drummers, Handicrafts, Artizans, retain'd in the King's Service; as well as of the Serjeants at Arms, Physicians, Surgeons, Apothecaries, and, finally, of His Majesty's Chaplains.

Lord

Lord-Chamberlain.

Charles Duke of Grafton.

Wages, 100 l.

Board Wages, 1100 l.

In the King's Gift.

The Vice-Chamberlain carries its own Denomination ; he is Deputy or Assistant to the Lord Chamberlain, and in his Absence commands. He is ever of the Privy Council.

Vice-Chamberlain.

William Stanhope, Esq;

Wages, 66 l. 13 s. 4 d.

Board-Wages, 499 l. 15 s.

In the King's Gift.

Gentlemen of the King's Bed-Chamber.

These are frequently called Lords of the Bed-Chamber. They were, 'till late Years, but Eleven in Number, whereof the Groom of the Stole is the first, who by his Office has the Honour to put on the King's first Garment, or Shirt, every Morning ; but it is now alternately perform'd by the Lord in waiting, which they take in Turn Weekly, and attend in the King's Bed-Chamber, when he eats in private ; for then the Cup-bearer, Carvers, and Sewers do not wait.

They are in the King's Gift.

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Groom

Groom of the Stole.

Francis Earl of Godolphin.

The other Gentlemen.

Charles Duke of Richmond.

William Duke of Manchester.

James Duke of Hamilton and Brandon.

Philip Earl of Chesterfield.

William Earl of Essex.

William-Anne Earl of Albemarle.

Charles Earl of Selkirk

Henry Earl of Deloraine.

Hugh Lord Clinton.

Lord Henry Herbert.

Lord Thomas Paget.

Lord William Manners.

Gentlemen of the Privy-Chamber.

King Henry the Seventh was the first *English* Prince that establish'd this Society of Gentlemen, limited their Number to 48, and gave them the Title of *Honourable*; which Establishment has successively been continued in every King and Queen's Reign to this present Time. The chief End of their Institution was to wait and attend on the King and Queen, at Court, in their Diversions, Progresses, and on all emergent Occasions. Six of them are constantly appointed by the Lord Chamberlain, with a Nobleman, and the Master of the Ceremonies, to accompany all Foreign Ministers from Crowned Heads, in their Publick Entries, and to their Audiences; to which End they were generally chosen out of the Sons of the Nobility, or the first Rank of Gentlemen in the Kingdom,

Kingdom, and were always held in good Repute at Court : That they have been often fixed upon to represent the Person of the Lord Chamberlain, or the Vice-Chamberlain, in their Absence ; for which Reason King *James* the First, and King *Charles* the First, order'd them to take Place next to the Gentlemen, or Lords of the Bed-chamber. And in the Reign of a Sovereign Queen, as the late Queen *Anne*, next to the Vice-Chamberlain. At every Coronation, two of these Gentlemen, clad in Ducal Robes, do personate the Dukes of *Aquitain* and *Normandy* ; and at all publick Solemnities, Interviews, Cavalcades, &c. they have their Station appointed by the Heralds, to go next the Privy-Counsellors, (not Peers :) When the King or Queen go by Water to Parliament, two of these Gentlemen have Place in the same Barge ; and likewise kneel upon the second Step of the Throne, where no other Officer is suffer'd to interpose before them.

As a farther Mark of the Royal Favour and Trust which is reposed in them, they are empower'd to execute the King's verbal Commands, without producing any written Warrant, or Order, their Persons and Characters being in themselves sufficient Authority. For Instance, when Cardinal *Wolsey*, in the Time of *Henry* the Eighth, was arrested for High-Treason, by a Gentleman of the Privy-Chamber, he immediately submitted, saying, his Person was a sufficient Warrant, notwithstanding he had refused to submit to the Arrest by a great Lord, though he had an Order in Writing.

With all these considerable Honours there is no Salary, Fee, or Perquisite annexed to their Offices. They have, at certain Times, Diet and Table at Court ; and, on the Death of the Sovereign, have Mourning allowed them out of the Wardrobe. They are excused, by virtue of their Offices, from being Sheriffs, or any other Penal Office in the

Town and County where they live, which makes many Gentlemen of good Fortune desire the Place, which is in the Gift of the Lord Chamberlain.

Gentlemen of the Privy-Chamber.

<i>Sir Edward Lawrence</i>	<i>Lewis Legrand, Esq;</i>
<i>Crew Offley, Esq;</i>	<i>Humphrey Brent, Esq;</i>
<i>Sir Sydenham Fowkes</i>	<i>John Coke, Esq;</i>
<i>John Tryon, Esq;</i>	<i>John Morris, Esq;</i>
<i>William Sheppard, Esq;</i>	<i>Lisle Hacket, Esq;</i>
<i>John Salter, Esq;</i>	<i>Sir Milton Lambard</i>
<i>John Eldrid, Esq;</i>	<i>Sir Gilbert Pickering</i>
<i>Sir George Walter</i>	<i>Daniel Houghton, Esq;</i>
<i>Robert Boswell, Esq;</i>	<i>Humphrey Stert, Esq;</i>
<i>John Morris, Esq;</i>	<i>John Sambroke, Esq;</i>
<i>Coulthrop Long, Esq;</i>	<i>Benjamin Moyer, Esq;</i>
<i>Charles Hayes, Esq;</i>	<i>Sir Henry Ashurst</i>
<i>Lord La Poer</i>	<i>Sir William Dudley</i>
<i>Henry Hawley, Esq;</i>	<i>William Forrester, Esq;</i>
<i>Edward Hopkins, Esq;</i>	<i>Gideon Harvey, Esq;</i>
<i>Henry Holt Henly, Esq;</i>	<i>Sir Richard Sherrard</i>
<i>Thomas Everdale, Esq;</i>	<i>Nathaniel Hickman, Esq;</i>
<i>Edward Leigh, Esq;</i>	<i>Francis Duncombe, Esq;</i>
<i>Sir Edward Coke</i>	<i>Sir Thomas Read</i>
<i>John Crew, Esq;</i>	<i>Jeremiah Sambroke, Esq;</i>
<i>Henry Greswald, Esq;</i>	<i>Sir George Bridges Skipwith</i>
<i>Joseph Wyndham, Esq;</i>	<i>Henry Stratfield, Esq;</i>
<i>Courtney Crocker, Esq;</i>	<i>Thomas Brocas, Esq;</i>
<i>Moses Raper, Esq;</i>	<i>Wriothefly Betton, Esq;</i>
<i>Horatio Townshend, Esq;</i>	<i>Commodore Stewart</i>

Grooms of the King's Bed-chamber.

They wait in the King's Chamber during his Majesty's Dressing, and wait at Dinner, take Wine, &c. from the Under Servants, and give it to the Lords

to serve to his Majesty. When the Gentlemen of the Bed-chamber are not there, they perform the Office, and have their Waiting Weekly, Two and Two, by Turns.

They are in the King's Gift.

Colonel <i>Thomas Paget</i>	} 500 l. per Ann. each.
Hon. <i>John Campbell, Esq;</i>	
Colonel <i>Charles Cathcart</i>	
Brigadier General <i>Churchill</i>	
<i>John Selwyn, Esq;</i>	
Hon. <i>James Campbell, Esq;</i>	
Sir <i>Charles Hotham, Bart.</i>	
Sir <i>Robert Rich, Bart.</i>	

Pages of the Bed-chamber, commonly call'd Pages of the Back-Stairs.

They antiently had their Place of Attendance without Doors, at the Back-Stairs; but now they wait in the Bed-chamber, where they take care that every thing be ready, especially during the time of the King's Dressing, fetch Water for the Grooms of the Bed-chamber, which the King is to use, and other Necessaries. They have a Share of the Fees of Honour, with several Perquisites from Candles, Wood, &c. They have likewise for Livery, which they antiently wore, the Sum of 36 l. 13 s. 8 d. per Annum, in lieu of it.

Their Places are in the Gift of the Groom of the Stole.

Mr. <i>Lambert De Grave,</i>	} 80 l. per Ann. each.
Mr. <i>Edward Brown,</i>	
Mr. <i>Lawrence Saxton,</i>	
Mr. <i>William Taylor,</i>	
Mr. <i>Andrew Schields,</i>	
Mr. <i>Abfalom Evans,</i>	

Cup-

Cupbearers, Carvers, and Sewers.

These were very antient Officers of the Crown, and Places of great Honour ; for which Reason they precede many other Officers of Note, which have large Salaries, and considerable Perquisites. At all Coronations three Earls put in their Claims to officiate in three Places, as Cup-bearer, Carver, and Sewer. There is also one in each Office, who are Assistants to the Noblemen for that Day, and have Rank in the Cavalcade.

In the Lord Chamberlain's Gift.

Cup-bearers.

<i>Walter Littleton, Esq;</i>	} 33 l. 6 s. 8 d. per Ann. each.
<i>John Evans, Esq;</i>	
<i>Henry Green, Esq;</i>	
<i>John Hay, Esq;</i>	

Carvers.

Henry Cole, Esq;
Robert Tripp, Esq;
John Tilburgh, Esq;
Gasp. Fred. Henning, Esq;

Their Salaries the same as the former.

Gentlemen Sewers.

Charles De la Faye, Esq;
Grey Longville, Esq;
Stephen Mourner, Esq;
John Hedges, Esq;
 Salaries ditto.

Gentlemen

Gentlemen-Ushers of the Privy-Chamber.

These have Power of commanding all Officers under them in the Privy Lodgings, (the Bed-chamber excepted) and the Honour of leading the Queen in the Absence of the Lord Chamberlain: They likewise attend in the Closet at Chapel, where no other Gentlemen-Ushers wait.

Gentlemen-Ushers.

<i>John Anderson, Esq;</i>	}	200 l. per Ann. each.
<i>Joseph Ashley, Esq;</i>		
<i>Richard Whitworth, Esq;</i>		
<i>Robert Hemmington, Esq;</i>		

Grooms of the Privy-Chamber,

Have no Attendance but on extraordinary Occasions, as Coronations, &c.

<i>James Trymer,</i>	}	73 l. per Ann. each.
<i>John Parsons,</i>		
<i>Cornelius Tilburg,</i>		

Gentlemen-Ushers, Daily Waiters.

These have their Attendance assign'd them in the Presence-Chamber, and are call'd Gentlemen-Ushers, Daily Waiters. The first of which has the considerable Office of Usher of the Black Rod. He has also his Attendance in the House of Lords, and is Usher of the Garter. They wait in the Presence-Chamber next to the King's Person, and order all Affairs next to the Lord Chamberlain, and Vice-Chamberlain; and all Under-Officers above Stairs are to obey them.

Sir

Sir Charles Dalton, Knt.	}	150 l. per Ann. each.
Black Rod,		
James Stuart, Esq;		
Sir Thomas Brand, Knt.		
Henry Ballendine, Esq;		

Assistant Gentleman-Usher.

Henry Gardy, Esq; — 66 l. 13 s. 4 d. per Ann.
In the Lord Chamberlain's Gift.

Gentlemen Ushers, Quarter Waiters in Ordinary.

These also wait in the Presence-Chamber, and give Direction in the Absence of the Gentlemen Ushers daily Waiters, to whom they are subordinate.

Leonard Pinkney, Esq;	}	50 l. per Ann. each.
John Goodwin, Esq;		
Robert Trip, Esq;		
James Eckersall, Esq;		
Isaac Dedier, Esq;		
Charles Bodens, Esq;		
George Cook, Esq;		
Everard Buckworth, Esq;		

Sewers of the Great Chamber.

They attend in the Great Chamber, and take Directions from the Gentlemen Ushers, &c. to fetch Necessaries.

Mr. Thomas Tate,	}	38 l. 15 s. 7 d. per Ann. each.
Mr. Charles Cromp,		
Mr. Anthony Meake,		
Mr. Peter Quantiseau,		
Mr. Mich. Nevill,		
Mr. Phil. Orrillard,		
Mr. Paul Garnier,		
Mr. Ch. Nezereau,		

Grooms

Grooms of the Great Chamber, or Messengers,

Attend there, and are ready to receive and carry Messages either within or without the Court, so far as their Office is necessary.

Mr. John Stone,	}	40 l. per Ann. each.
Mr. Henry Waters,		
Mr. Adam Lysney,		
Mr. Ch. Harrison,		
Mr. John Cooper,		
Mr. Philip Pots,		
Mr. Tho. Symons,		
Mr. Will. Chambers,		
Mr. Rob. Jenkinson,		
Mr. Tho. Martin,	}	

Pages of Presence,

They are subordinate also to the Gentlemen Ushers, wait in the Privy-Chamber, and take care of Fire, Candles, &c.

Mr. Edw. Willis,	}	25 l. per Ann. each.
Mr. Will. Farnborough,		
Mr. Will. Mosley,		
Mr. Sam. Hurst,		

Coffer Bearers.

When the Court removes, they take care to see the Baggage loaded.

Mr. Edw. Humphrys,	}	54 l. 15 s. per Ann.
Mr. Rich. Fosbrook,		
F		each.

Remo-

Removing Wardrobe.

The Removing Wardrobe always attends upon the King or Queen, the Princes and Princesses, and all the Royal Family, where-ever the Court removes. It also attends upon Ambassadors, upon Christenings, Masques, Plays, &c. to furnish such Things as are wanting, and to take Account of their Re-delivery. They are wholly under the Power and Command of the Lord Chamberlain. To this Office belong six Officers, which are also in the Gift of the Lord Chamberlain. These had antiently Diet at Court; and all the Moveables, belonging to the Wardrobe, are, at length, when new are to be provided, divided into three Parts, one to the Yeomen, a second to the Grooms, and a third to the Pages.

Yeoman.

Hon. Grey Maynard, }
Esq; } 320 l. per Ann.

Grooms.

Thomas Williams, Esq; }
Charles Chester Eyre, Esq; } 130 l. per Ann.
each.

Pages.

Mr. Peter Forbes, }
Mr. William Keene, } 100 l. per Ann. each.
Mr. Ch. Lucas,

Wardrobe-Keeper at *St. James's*.

Thomas Saunders, Esq; — 100 l. per Ann.

Under-Housekeeper at *St. James's*.

Lambert De Grave, Esq; — 100 l. per Ann.

Besides

Besides the Removing Wardrobe, there are several Standing Wardrobes, which take care of the Furniture necessarily left at the King's Houses, and are usually the House-keepers there, so that little more is to be said of them.

Standing Wardrobe-Keeper at *Windsor*,

Mr. Mann, ——— 160 l. per Ann.

Wardrobe-Keeper, and Keeper of the Private Lodgings at *Hampton Court*,

Mr. John Turner, ——— 230 l. per Ann.

Under House-keeper at *Hampton-Court*,

Somerset Inglish, Esq; — 320 l. per Ann.

Standing Wardrobe-keeper at *Kensington*,

Mrs. Jane Keim, ——— 400 l. per Ann.

Standing Wardrobe-Keeper, and Clerk of the Wardrobe at *Whitehall*,

Piercy Kirk, Esq; — 200 l. per Ann.

Keeper of the Guns and private Armory,

Piercy-Guinou De Beauboison. No Salary.

Master of the Robes.

The Master of the Robes, is an Officer in the Lord Chamberlain's District, who has the Power of managing all the Royal Robes, as those of the Coronation, St. George's Feast, the Parliament Robes; as also of the wearing Apparel, Collar of SS's, George and Garter, &c. He has under him a Clerk of the Robes, and Wardrobe-Keeper, a Yeoman, three Grooms, a Brusher, a Page, a Brusher, Keepers of the Wardrobes at *Whitehall* and *Kensington*, &c. and hath the Gift of all the Places under him.

Officers of his Majesty's Robes.

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<i>Augustus Schutz</i> , Esq; Master	800	} <i>per Ann.</i>
<i>Charles Brumstead</i> , Esq; Clerk	160	
<i>Joseph Hancock</i> , Esq; Yeoman	255	
<i>Mr. John Pitt</i> , first Groom	80	
<i>Mr. Daniel Macret</i> , second Groom	80	
<i>Mr. Anthony Ryley</i> , third Groom	60	
<i>Mr. John Smith</i> , first Waiter	90	
<i>Mr. William Smelt</i> , second Waiter	50	
<i>William Smith</i> , Page	58	
<i>John Gerce</i> , Brusher	80	
<i>Henry Tyson</i> , Messenger	60	
<i>John Gittins</i> , Furrier	20	
<i>Samuel Towers</i> , Clerk	40	

The Yeomen, Waiters, Brushers, and Messengers, have their several Employments in the Office, according to their Denomination.

These are under the Groom of the Stole, and in his Gift.

Laundress of the Body Linen.

Mrs. Margaret Purcell, — 400 *l.* *per Ann.*

Necessary Woman,

For cleaning his Majesty's private Lodgings, and finding Necessaries thereto.

Mrs. Susannah White, — 121 *l.* 5 *s.* *per Ann.*

Treasurer of the Chamber.

His Office is to pay all his Majesty's Family above Stairs, pays the Chapel, the Yeomen of the Guards, the Messengers, and all Travelling Charges. He receives the Money from the Exchequer, by Warrant from the Lord of the Treasury.

In the King's Gift.

John Lord Hobart, — 314 *l.* 1 *s.* 4 *d.* *per Ann.*
Clerk.

Clerk.

Mr. *Joseph Keen*, — paid by the Treasury.

Comptroller of the Chamber.

Edward Jenkins, Esq; — 150 l. per Ann.

Jewel-Office,

Take care of Fashioning and Weighing the King's Plate, and deliver it out of the Office by such Warrants as they receive from the Lord Chamberlain. When his Majesty makes any Present of Plate, &c. they have the Charge of providing it, with some other Things less material. The Goldsmith and Jeweller are employ'd by the Master, and are usually in his Gift.

Master of the Jewel-Office.

Hon. *James Brudenell*, Esq; 450 l. per Ann.

Yeoman.

Richard Aldworth, Esq; 106 l. 15 s. per Ann.

Groom.

Edward Yardley, Esq; 106 l. 15 s. per Ann.

Clerk.

Mr. *Robert Sedgewick*, 13 l. 6 s. 8 d. per Ann.

Goldsmith.

Mr. *John Tysoe*.

Jeweller.

Mr.

Master of the Ceremonies.

This Office was instituted by King *James* the First, for the more solemn and honourable Reception of Ambassadors and Strangers of Quality, whom he introduced

introduced into the Presence. The Badge of his Office is a Gold Chain and Medal, having on one Side an Emblem of *Peace*, King *James's* Motto; and on the Reverse, the Emblem of *War*, with *Dieu & mon Droit*. He is always supposed to be a Person of good Address, and Master of Languages. He is constantly attending at Court, and hath under him an Assistant Master, or Deputy, who holds his Place during the King's Pleasure. There is also a third Officer, call'd Marshal of the Ceremonies, whose Business is to receive and distribute the Master's Orders, or the Deputy's, for the Service, but without their Order can do nothing.

In the King's Gift.

Sir Clement Cotterell, Kt. 300 l. per Ann.

Assistant.

Dr. John English, — 6 s. 8 d. per Day.

Marshal.

Dr. John English, — 100 l. per Ann.

Serjeants at Arms attending at Court.

They are called the King's Serjeants at Arms, to distinguish them from others. They are created with great Ceremony; the Person to be created, kneeling before the King, his Majesty lays the Mace on the Serjeant's right Shoulder, and says, *Rise up Serjeant at Arms, and Esquire for ever*. They have besides, a Patent for the Office, which they hold for Life. Of these there are now Eight, who attend at Court, waiting four every Quarter. They have their Attendance in the Presence-Chamber, where the Band of Gentlemen-Pensioners wait, and receiving the King at the Door, carry the Maces before him to the Chapel-Door, whilst the Band of Pensioners

fioners stand foremost, and make a Lane for the King, &c. as they do also when the King goes to the House of Peers.

Serjeants at Arms.

<i>Thomas Sebastian Turst,</i>	}	Esqs;
<i>Edward Horner,</i>		
<i>Philip Ryley,</i>		
<i>Mark Delves,</i>		
<i>Thomas Decritz,</i>		
<i>Benjamin Hall,</i>		
<i>Joseph Lawson,</i>		
<i>John-Andrew Heymen,</i>		
<i>Thomas Coke,</i>		

The Band of Gentlemen-Pensioners.

This Honourable Band were first instituted by King *Henry* the Seventh, for the greater Splendor of his Court, being designed as a Guard for his Person; for which Reason they have their Posts of Waiting assign'd them in the Presence-Chamber. Their principal Duty is to attend the King to and from the Chapel, whom they receive either in the Presence-Chamber, or sometimes at the Door of the Privy-Lodgings, lining each Side of the Room in Ranks with their Battle-Axes, which are their antient Arms. They are in Number Forty; and, by their original Institution, are obliged to keep three double Horses, or Servants, who are, as well as themselves, to have proper Arms, and so are properly a Troop of Guards, and as such, have been muster'd by their own Officers: But this last Part of their Duty has been frequently dispensed withal. They wait half at a time Quarterly; but on *Christmas-Day*, *Easter-Day*, *Whitsunday*, *All Saints*, *St. George's Feast*, the *Coronation-Days*, and on other extraordinary Days, they are obliged all to give personal Attendance, under the

the Penalty of the Cheque. They have the Honour likewise to carry up the King's Dinner on the Coronation-Day, and on St. George's Feast; at which Time he usually confers the Honour of Knighthood on two such Gentlemen as the Captain presents; which last Office hath never been given any Person under the Degree of a Nobleman, unless a Knight of the Garter, which, of late Years, hath ever happen'd.

William Marquis of Hartington, 1000 l. per Ann.

Lord Henry Beauclerk, 500 l. per Ann.

Sir William Wynne, Knight, 310 l. per Ann.

George Turner, Esq; Clerk of the Cheque, 120 l. per Ann.

Gentlemen-Pensioners.

*Gregory Westcombe,
William Westcombe,
Henry Trent,
Sir John Taylor,
Thomas Hansal,
Peter Power,
James Barnard,
Nathaniel Lambert,
Nicholas Blowing,
George Bellamy,
Henry Barnesley,
Richard Sankey,
John Crouch,
John Dagwell,
William Woods,
William Morley,
William Houghton,
Richard Farnborough,
Henry Cooper,
William Taylor,
Ralph Thorowgood,*

Esqs. { 100 l. per Ann.
each.

Sir

<i>Sir Andrew Chadwicke,</i> <i>Jeremiah Wilkes,</i> <i>John Taylor,</i> <i>Edward Compton,</i> <i>Thomas Smith,</i> <i>Chamberlain Allats,</i> <i>Henry Kentish,</i> <i>Adam Wooley,</i> <i>Owen Jones,</i> <i>George Waddifon,</i> <i>Henry Allen,</i> <i>Thomas Pennyman,</i> <i>Matthew Goffet,</i> <i>Jacob Delamot Blagny,</i> <i>Paul Gorneau,</i> <i>William Hoskins,</i> <i>Richard Lane,</i>	} Esqs. { 100 l. per Ann. each.
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Joint Pay-masters.

<i>James Moor,</i>	} Esqs.
<i>Arthur Moor,</i>	

Gentleman Harbinger.

Mr. Henry Potter.

Axe-keeper.

Mr. William Baldwin.

Yeomen of the Guard.

They are properly call'd the Yeomen of the Guard of the King's or Queen's Body, and according to their Institution were wont to be 250 Men of the best Rank under Gentry, and of larger Stature than ordinary ; for every one was to be six Foot high. There are at present 100 of them in constant Duty, and 70 more not in Duty ; and as any of the Hundred die, his Place is supplied out of the Seventy.

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They go clad after the Mode in the Time of King Henry the Eighth. They had formerly Diet as well as Wages, when in Waiting, but this was taken off in the Reign of the late Queen. Their Attendance is on the King's Person both at Home and Abroad. At Court they have a Room allotted for them only, which is call'd the *Guard-Chamber*. The Officers and Yeomen are at the Disposal of the Captain, and he at the Appointment of the King.

John Earl of Leicester, Captain, 1000 *l. per Ann.*

Thomas Wyndham, Esq; Lieutenant, 500 *l. per Ann.*

Andrew Charlton, Esq; Ensign, 300 *l. per Ann.*

Edward Stanley, Esq; Clerk of the Cheque, 150 *l. per Annum.*

Corporals.

<i>Francis Clark</i> , Esq;	} 150 <i>l. per Ann.</i> each.
<i>Thomas Whitmore</i> , Esq;	
<i>Solomon Ashley</i> , Esq;	
<i>John Laroche</i> , Esq;	

Eight Ushers at 50 *l. per Ann.* each.

And 100 Yeomen-Waiters, 40 *l. per Ann.* each.

Master of the Revels.

His Office is to order all Things which relate to the Performance of Tragedies, Comedies, Masques, Balls, &c. at Court. He hath likewise a Jurisdiction of granting Licences to all who Travel, to act Plays, Puppet-shews, or other such like Diversions; which is very beneficial to him, and increases the Smallness of the Salary to a very considerable Income:
Neither

Neither can of right any New Play, at either of the Two Houses, be acted 'till it has passed his Perusal and Licence first, that he may castrate any thing which shall be offensive to Religion or Virtue.

Francis Henry Lee, Esq; 10 l. per Ann.

Groom-Porter,

Has the Inspection of the King's Lodgings, and takes care that they are provided with Tables, Chairs, Firing, &c. As also to provide Cards, Dice, &c. when there is Playing at Court; and to decide Disputes which arise in Gaming.

Thomas Archer, Esq; 550 l. per Ann.

Master of the Tennis Court,

Has the keeping of the King's Tennis-Court, and the Profits which arise by Playing: He has likewise the Apartments belonging to it, which yield considerable Perquisites.

Charles Fitzroy, Esq; 130 l. per Ann.

These three last Offices are in the Lord Chamberlain's Gift.

Officers of His Majesty's Royal Chapels.

TH E Lord Almoner disposes of the King's Alms ; and to that End receives, besides other Money allowed by the King, all *Deodands*, and all Goods of *Felo's de se*, to be appropriated to that. He had likewise, by an ancient Custom, a Privilege to give the first Dish from the Royal Table, to whatsoever poor People he pleased ; or, instead thereof, an Alms in Money. Besides the Parish or other Poor, he has also the Charge of several poor Pensioners to the Crown below Stairs, consisting of such as have spent their Youth, and been superannuated in the King's Service ; or the Widows of such Household Servants as died poor, and were not able to provide for their Wives and Children, whom he duly pays.

In the King's Gift.

Lord-Almoner.

The most Reverend Father in God, *Lancelot Archbishop of York*, 200 *l. per Ann.*

Sub-Almoner.

The Reverend Doctor *Gilbert*, Canon of *Christ-Church, Oxon.* 97 *l. 11 s. 3 d. per Ann.*

Yeoman.

Mr. John Eddowes, 50 *l. per Ann.*

Groom.

Mr. Richard Blakesmore, 40 *l. per Ann.*

Dean

Dean of the Chapel.

He hath the Government of the King's Chapel, and the Chusing of all the Officers thereof; namely, the Sub-Dean, and twenty-six Gentlemen of the Chapel. The Dean himself is chosen by the King, who, as Dean of the Chapel, acknowledges no Superior but the Sovereign: for as the King's Palace is exempt from all temporal Jurisdiction, so is his Chapel from all spiritual; not being within the Diocese of any Bishop, but as a Royal Peculiar exempt, and reserved to the Visitation and immediate Government of the King. All Offerings made by the King or Queen, on the twelve principal Festivals of the Year, are distributed amongst the Poor by the Dean of the Chapel.

Dean.

The Right Reverend *Edmund* Lord Bishop of *London*, 200 *l.* per *Ann.*

Sub-Dean.

The Reverend Mr. *Edward Aspinwall*, 91 *l.* 5 *s.* per *Ann.*

The Clerk of the Clofet, or Confessor to the King, is usually a Bishop; whose Office is to attend at the King's Right-hand during Divine Service, to resolve such Doubts as may arise in Spiritual Matters; but chiefly to wait on his Majesty in his private Oratory, or Clofet, and to say Grace when His Majesty eats. There are under him three Deputies, and a Clofet-keeper.

Clerk of the Clofet.

The Right Reverend *Richard* Lord Bishop of *Winchester*, 6 *l.* 18 *s.* per *Ann.*

Deputies.

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The Reverend Dean *Gilbert*.

The Reverend Dr. *Taylor*.

The Reverend Dr. *Reynolds*.

No Salary.

Closet-keeper.

Thomas Reading, 41 l. 10 s. per Ann.

Allow'd the Clerk of the Closet for Surplices, and other Necessaries for the Closet, 53 l. 5 s. per Ann.

The King's Chaplains are 48 in Number; so that there are four appointed for every Month, which is their Time of Waiting. They are to preach in the Royal Chapel on *Sundays*, and other Festivals; and in the Morning before the Household: To read Divine Service before the King, out of Chapel twice a Day in the private Oratory; and to say Grace to the King at Dinner in the Absence of the Clerk of the Closet. During Waiting they have a Table and Attendance, but no Salaries; which, besides the Honour of the Employment, is abundantly made up to them, as being constantly in the King's Eye for Spiritual Preferment, and being esteem'd to merit from him for this their Attendance at Court.

When there are five Sundays in a Month, as it sometimes happens, the Lord Chamberlain appoints the Preacher. The Chaplains are likewise in his Lordship's Gift.

Chaplains in Ordinary to His Majesty.

Dr. *Hayley*
Dr. *Marshall*
Dr. *Branche*
Dr. *Foulke*

Dr. *Lovel*
Mr. *Clark*
Dr. *Terry*
Mr. *Finch*

Dr. Holcombe	Mr. Herring
Mr. Croxal	Mr. Cowper
Dr. Newcome	Mr. Lynch
Mr. Jones	Mr. Benson
Mr. Hutton	Mr. Worth
Mr. Booth	Dr. Tenison
Dr. Thistlethwaite	Mr. Butts
Dr. Holland	Mr. Day
Mr. Salter	Mr. Crow
Dr. Birch	Mr. Knipe
Dr. Egerton	Mr. Towers
Dr. Alix	Mr. Lewis
Mr. Cecil	Dr. Perry
Dr. Pearce	Dr. Rogers
Mr. Hargrave	Dr. Regis
Dr. Waterland	Mr. Macro
Dr. Morson	Mr. Greenwood

Gentlemen of the Chapel.

These have their Duty and Attendance in the Royal Chapel. They are 32 in Number, whereof 12 are Priests, and one of them Confessor of the Household. The other 20 are called Clerks of the Chapel, who assist in the Performance of Divine Service.

One of the first 12 is chosen for Confessor of the Household, whose Office it is to read Prayers every Morning to the Household Servants, to visit the Sick, examine and prepare Communicants, and administer the Sacraments.

Another well vers'd in Musick is chosen for Organist, who is Master of the Children, to instruct them in Musick, and what is necessary for the Service of the Chapel. There is a 2d of them likewise an Organist, and a 3d a Lutenist, and a 4th a Violist.

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There are likewise three Vergers, so called from the Silver Rods they usually carry in their Hands; being a Serjeant, a Yeoman, and Groom of the Vestry; the former of which attends the Dean and Subdean, finds Surplices and other Necessaries for the Chapel, and keeps the Pews and Seats of the Nobility and Gentry. The Groom has his Attendance within the Chapel Door, and looks after it.

Dr. <i>William Turner</i>	Mr. <i>George Laye</i>
Mr. <i>John Gosling</i>	Mr. <i>Samuel Weeley</i>
Mr. <i>S. Bentham</i> , Confessor	Mr. <i>George Carleton</i>
Mr. <i>John Church</i>	Mr. <i>Thomas Baker</i>
Mr. <i>Thomas Jennings</i>	Mr. <i>Samuel Chittle</i>
Mr. <i>Thomas Edwards</i> ,	Mr. <i>John Getbin</i>
Mr. <i>William Wasbourne</i>	Mr. <i>Peter Randal</i>
Mr. <i>John Freeman</i>	Mr. <i>James Chelsum</i>
Mr. <i>John Mason</i>	Mr. <i>Talbot Young</i>
Mr. <i>Bernard Gates</i>	Mr. <i>Abraham Sharp</i>
Mr. <i>Francis Hughes</i>	Mr. — <i>Bell</i>
Mr. <i>William Battell</i>	Mr. <i>William Parry</i>
Mr. <i>Edward Aspinwall</i>	

Salary 73 l. per Ann. each.

Clerk of the Cheque,

Mr. *Jonathan Smith*, — No Salary

First Organist and Composer,

Mr. *John Weldon*

Second Organist,

Mr. — *Green* — 140 l. per Ann. each.

Serjeant

Serjeant of the Vestry,

Mr. *Jonathan Smith*, — 73 l. per Ann.

And for washing of Surplises, for Strewings, &c. and all other Necessaries for the Chapels of *St. James's* and *Whitehall* } 109 l. 2 s. per Ann.

Teoman of the Vestry,

Mr. *Thomas Langborne*, — 54 l. 15 s. per Ann.

Groom of the Vestry,

Mr. *William Duncombe*, — 51 l. 12 s. 6 d. per Ann.

Lutenist,

Mr. *John Shore*, — — 40 l. 10 s. per Ann.

Violist,

Mr. *Francis Goodfense*, — 40 l. per Ann.

To the Reverend Mr. *Sa-* }
muel Bentham, Extraor. } 36 l. 10 s. per Ann.

Organ Blower,

Mr. *Jonathan Ray* — 20 l. per Ann.

Bell-Ringer.

Mr. *Thomas Brooks*, — 15 l. per Ann.

To the Closet-Keeper, for }
providing Table-Linen } 18 l. 5 s. per Ann.
for the Chaplains, }

To him for washing the }
same, } 13 l.

The Chaplains at *Whitehall* are 24 in Number,
being Fellows of Colleges in the two Universities
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appointed by his late Majesty, and are allowed 30 *l. per Ann.* each, for preaching one Month in the Year.

The following concludes all the Officers, Servants, and Trades People in the Gift of his Majesty, and the Lord Chamberlain, and whose Duty is above Stairs, *viz.*

Physicians in Ordinary to his Majesty,

Sir *Hans Sloane*, Bart.

Dr. *Richard Mead*

Dr. *Thomas Goodman*

Dr. *John Hollings*

Surgeons,

Ambrose Dickens, Esq; Ser- } 396 *l.* 13 *s.* 4 *d.* per
jeant Surgeon, } *Ann.*

Claudius Amyand, Esq; King's }
Surgeon, } 200 *l.* per *Ann.* each.
Thomas Bates, Esq; Sur- }
geon to the Houshold, }

John Ranby, Esq; 280 *l.* per *Ann.*

Apothecaries to the Person,

Mr. *Daniel Graham* ——— 275 *l.* per *Ann.*

Mr. *Thomas Graham* ——— 320 *l.* per *Ann.*

Apothecaries to the Houshold,

Mr. *John Allen* ——— } 159 *l.* 19 *s.* 10 *d.* per
Mr. *Marmaduke Lilly* — } *Ann.*

Poet Laureat,

Lawrence Eusden, Esq; — 60 *l.* per *Ann.*

Historiographer,

Robert Stephens, Esq; — 200 *l.* per *Ann.*

History

History Painter,

Sir *James Thornhil*, Knt. — 200 l. per Ann.

Principal Painter,

Charles Fervase, Esq; — 200 l. per Ann.

Painter in Enamel, or Cabinet Painter,

Mr. *Bernard Lens*, — 200 l. per Ann.

Surveyor and Keeper of Pictures,

Peter Walton, Esq; — 200 l. per Ann.

Sergeant Painter of all his Majesty's Works, Royal
Palaces and Houses, and to the Wardrobe,

Thomas Highmore, Esq; — 200 l. per Ann.

Master Bricklayer of all his Majesty's Works and
Buildings in *England*,

Thomas Churchil, Esq; — 200 l. per Ann.

Knight Harbinger,

William Cowper, Esq; 20 Marks per Ann. and 10 s.
per Diem when he travels to attend the Court.

House-Keeper at *Windsor-Castle*,

Mrs. *Anne Marriot*

At *Kensington*,

Mrs. *Jane Kien*.

At St. *James's*,

Under-House-Keeper,

Lamb du Grave, Esq;

At *Whiteball*,

Piercy Kirk, Esq;

At *Westminster Palace*,
Nathaniel Blackerby, Esq;

At *Somerset-House*,
Sir John Stanley's Lady.

At *Newmarket*,
Mr. Walker.

At *Hampton-Court*,
Somerset Inghisb, Esq;

House-Keeper at *Greenwich*, and Keeper of the
Park there,
Sir John Jennings.

Chief Ranger and Keeper of *Hyde Park*, and
St. James's Park,
William Earl of Essex.

Keeper of *Windsor Forest*, and the Parks and
Warrens there,
Richard Lord Viscount Cobham.

Keeper of *Windsor Great and Little Park*,
Sarah Dutchess of Marlborough.

Keeper of *Waltham Forest*,
Peregrine Duke of Ankafter.

Keeper of *Hampton-Court Park*,
William Young, Esq;

Keeper of *Audley-Inn Park*,
Mr. David Robinson.

Keeper

Keeper of the Royal United, call'd the *Cotton-
Library,*

Dr. Richard Bentley, — Sal. 300 l. per Ann.

Printers,

Mr. John Baskett,

*Mr. Thomas Norris, Assignee of Henry Hills,
deceas'd.*

Hydrographer,

Edmund Halley.

Bookseller, Bookbinder, and Stationer,

Mr. William Churchill.

Druggist.

Mr. Richard Knollys.

Cabinet-maker,

Mr. William Turing.

Joyner of the Privy-Chamber,

Mr. John Howard.

Joyner of the Wardrobe,

Mr. Richard Roberts.

Serjeant Skinner,

Mr. Nathan Witham.

Coffer-maker,

Mr. Thomas Maplesdon.

Linen-Draper,

Mrs. Sarah London.

Harp-

Harpichord-maker,
Mr. *Benjamin Shede.*

Chocolate-maker,
Mr. *Alphonse.*

Leather-Gilder,
Mr. *Joseph Fletcher.*

Shipwright, and Barge-Builder,
Mr. *John Coffey.*

Master of the Barges,
Mr. *John Hill.*

Locksmith,
Mr. *Francis Bedwell.*

Embroiderer,
Mr. *Thomas Haywood.*

Card-maker,
Mr. *Thomas Cope.*

Gunsmith,
Mr. *William Hutchinson.*

Operator for the Teeth,
Mr. *Peter Hemet.*

Cutler,
Mr. *John Justice.*

Glover,
Mr. *Philip Nichols.*

Car-maker,
Mr. *Edward Salloway*.

Hatter,
Mr. *Welch Wagner*.

Rat-killer,
Mr. *Samuel Stubbs*.

Engraver,
Mr. *John Rollos*.

Secretary to the Lord Chamberlain,
Colonel *Pelham*.

Clerk,
Mr. *John Evans*.

Chamber-keeper,

*A List of the Officers and Servants of his
MAJESTY'S Stables, under the Master of
the Horse.*

THE Master of the Horse is esteem'd the third Great Officer at Court, giving Precedency only to the Lord Steward, and Lord Chamberlain. To him is committed the Charge of ordering and disposing all matters relating to the King's Stables, Races, Breed of Horses, &c. as he antiently had of all Posts in *England*. He hath the Power of commanding the Equerries, and all the other
Officers

Officers and Tradesmen employed in the King's Stables; to all which he gives by his Warrant to the Avener, the Oath of Allegiance, &c. for the true and faithful Discharge of their Duty. He has the Charge of the Revenues appointed for the Service and Maintenance of the King's Horses; for the Expence of the Stables; for Coaches, Litters, Sumpter-Horses, &c. He hath also the Privilege, which no other Servant of the Crown hath, of making use of any Horses, Pages, or Footmen belonging to the King's Stables; so that his Coaches, Horses, and Attendants are the King's, and have the King's Arms and Liveries. At any solemn Cavalcade, he has the Honour to ride next behind the King, and leads a Horse of State. Tho' this great Officer had no Rank assign'd him by the Act of Precedency in the Time of *Henry the Eighth*, yet by Virtue of his Office, he precedes other great Officers at Court.

Master of the Horse,
Richard Earl of Scarborough.
 Salary 1276 l. 13 s. 4 d. per Ann.

Gentleman of the Horse.

The Gentleman of the Horse is always the first Equerry, as the Groom of the Stole is always first Gentleman of the Bed-chamber; and is the next immediate Officer under the Master of the Horse, in whose Absence he presides in all Affairs relating to the King's Stables.

The Hon. *Henry Berkley, Esq;* 256 l. per Ann.

Avener and Clerk-Martial.

Avener and Clerk-Martial, by Order of Warrant from the Master of the Horse, (or Commissioner for executing that Office) swears in all the Officers belonging

longing to the Stables. He also makes up Accounts of the whole Stables, and issues Debentures for paying the Officers and Servants, which are directed to the Cofferer of the Household for Payment, being first pass'd and allow'd by the Board of *Green Cloth*.

Avener, &c.

The Hon. *Francis Negus*, Esq; 260 l. per Ann.

Equerries.

The Equerries, when his Majesty goes abroad, ride in the Leading Coach: They are in Waiting one at a time monthly, and have a Table with the Gentlemen-Ushers. When the King travell'd, they used to ride on Horseback by the Coach-side; but that being more expensive to them than necessary to the Sovereign, it has been discontinued.

<i>Edmond-Charles Blomberg</i> , Esq;	} 300 l. per Ann. each.
<i>Thomas Panton</i> , Esq;	
<i>Coulthrop Clayton</i> , Esq;	
Hon. <i>John Lumley</i> , Esq;	
Hon. <i>Henry Berkeley</i> , Esq;	
<i>Henry Pulteney</i> , Esq;	

The Equerries of the Crown Stable have that distinct Appellation, in that they are employed in Mounting, Managing, and Breaking the Saddle-Horses, and preparing them for the King's riding. One of them is, or should always be, in close waiting at Court, and when his Majesty rides, holds the Stirrup, whilst the Master of the Horse, or one of the Equerries in his Absence, assists in mounting him; or when his Majesty rides, they usually attend him.

Major Henry Foubert, } 256 l. per Ann.
 Peter Vayer Richauffee, Esq; } 5 each.

Pages of Honour.

Henry Panton, Esq; }
 Hon. John Fitzwilliams, Esq; } 260 l. per Ann.
 Archibald Carmichael, Esq; } each.

Governor of the Pages,

Daniel Brisac, Esq; — 100 l. per Ann.

The Surveyor of the Highways, when his Majesty travels, goes before, and takes care that the Roads are in good Order for his Majesty's passing. He hath also the Government and Inspection of the Roads call'd the King's; and it is by Permission of him that any body has free Passage through the same.

Surveyor of the Highways,

William Watkins, Esq; — 82 l. per Ann.

The Riding Surveyor goes before, and provides convenient Lodgings, &c. for the Court and Household.

Riding Surveyor,

John Bowen, Gent. ——— 30 l. per Ann.

Serjeant of the Carriages,

Robert Manning, Esq; — 86 l. per Ann.

Surveyor of the Stables,

Vacant.

Yeomen Riders,

Michael Burton, Gent. } 130 l. per Ann.
 John Seymour, Gent. } each.

Clerk

Clerk of the Avery,
John Adams, Gent. — 125 l. per Ann.

Clerk of the Stables,
Robert Maybank, Gent. — 224 l. per Ann.

Store-keeper,
Nathaniel Bridgwater, Gent. 93 l. per Ann.

Esquire Saddler,
Henry Godde, Esq; — 58 l. per Ann.

Yeoman Saddler,
Mr. Thomas Hollyday, — 36 l. per Ann.

Serjeant Farrier,
Mr. Robert Barnes, — 98 l. per Ann.

Marshal Farrier,
Mr. Thomas Darlow, — 50 l. per Ann.

Yeoman Farrier,
Mr. Nathaniel Preston, 36 l. 10s. per Ann.

Coach-maker,
Mr. Timothy Budworth, — 18 l. per Ann.

Purveyor of his Majesty's Stables at *London, Kensington, Richmond, Hampton-Court, and Windsor*,
Thomas Salt, Esq; — 188 l. per Ann.

Riding Purveyor,
John Hutchinson, Esq; — 200 l. per Ann.

Meuse-keeper,
James Lewis, — 36 l. per Ann.

Stable-keeper at *St. James's*,
Samuel Thornley, — 36 l. per Ann.

Stable-keeper at *Somerset-House*,
John Bowen, Gent. — 36 l. per Ann.

Stable-keeper at *Kensington*,
John Hobbs, — 36 l. 5 s. per Ann.

Stable-keeper at *Hampton-Court*,
Francis Sturgis, — — 36 l. per Ann.

Stable-keeper at *Windsor*,
 — — — 36 l. per Ann.

Stable-keeper at *Newmarket*,
Richard Hayes, — — 36 l. per Ann.

Yeoman of the Carriages,
John Grosvenor, — — 36 l. per Ann.

Fifteen Footmen,

<i>John Thompson,</i>	}	53 l. per Ann. each.
<i>Peter Smith,</i>		
<i>Alexander Rose,</i>		
<i>Robert Fabian,</i>		
<i>Henry Flower,</i>		
<i>John Cowper,</i>		
<i>Henry Vane,</i>		
<i>Richard Smith,</i>		
<i>John Hatt,</i>		
<i>George Caulton,</i>		
<i>Thomas Bielly,</i>		
<i>Joseph Crow,</i>		
<i>Henry Shape,</i>		
<i>William Coley,</i>		
<i>James Fotheringal,</i>		

Coachmen.

Edward Hoofe, — 138 l. per Ann.
Francis

Francis Gerton,	}	65 l. per Ann. each.
Edward Holloway,		
Nicholas Harrison,		

Postilions.

John Freeland,	}	30 l. per Ann. each.
William King,		
George Vaughan,		
John Buckingham,		
John Wood,		

Helpers.

Francis Butler,	}	30 l. per Ann. each.
Robert Price,		
George Owen,		
Owen Byrom,		
Stephen Briggs,		

Chair-men.

John Mann,	}	30 l. per Ann. each.
Joseph Holloway,		
Nicholas Smith,		
Philip Godson,		

Grooms.

Francis Thompson,	}	120 l. per Ann. each.
Lambert Stolton,		
Robert Franklyn,	}	60 l. per Ann. each.
Adam Milburne,		
Benjamin Goddin,		
George Coates,		
Robert Anderson,		
Michael Adamson,		
Philip Humble,		
George Haile,		
William Hows,		
William Peters,		
Matthew Webb,		
John Moody,		
John Cousins,		
James Till,		

Bottle-

Bottle-Groom.

John Peach, for himself and Horses, 82 l. per Ann.

Gentleman-Armourer.

Lewis Barber, 31 l. per Ann.

Page of the Back Stairs.

Peregrine Forest, 31 l. per Ann.

Porter of the Meuse.

Thomas Phipps, 18 l. per Ann.

Messenger of the Avery.

Nathaniel Bridgwater, 15 l. per Ann.

Thomas Panton, Esq; for keeping Six Race Horses at Newmarket with all Necessaries, 500 l. per Ann.

Officers and Servants attending his Royal Highness the Prince of Wales.

Chancellor.

MR. Justice Denton. Salary 400 l. per Ann. not yet sworn.

Master of the Horse.

George Lord Viscount Malpas.

Treasurer.

John Hedges, Esq;

Principal Secretary.

James Pelham, Esq; 706 l. 6 s. 8 d. per Ann.

Auditor-General.

Attorney-General.

William Fortescue, Esq; 100 l. per Ann.

Sollicitor-General.

Francis Fane, Esq; 70 l. per Ann.

Officers

Officers and Servants of the Bed-Chamber.

Three Gentlemen of the Bed-Chamber.

Henry Marquis of Caernarvon,
John Lord Ashburnham,
Lord Charles Cavendish, } *500 l. per Ann. each.*

Master of the Robes.

John Schutz, Esq;

Three Grooms of the Bed-Chamber.

Hon. William Townshend, Esq;
John Schutz, Esq;
Hon. John Lumley, Esq; } *400 l. per Ann. each.*

Gentlemen-Ushers.

Benjamin Conningsbye, Esq;
Edmond Bramston, Esq; } *150 l. per Ann. each.*

Gentlemen-Waiters.

William Hawley, Esq;
William Wentworth, Esq;
William Boroughs, Esq;
John Smith, Esq; } *100 l. per Ann. each.*

Valet de Chambre.

Mr. Hultzman.

Page of the Presence.

Mr. Samuel Nash, 40 l. per Ann.

Master of the Barges.

John Hill, 30 l. per Ann.

Eighteen Watermen, 3 l. 3 s. per Ann. each.

Porter.

George Louis Salliar.

Officers and Servants in the Stables, under the Direction of the Master of the Horse.

George Lord Viscount Malpas, Patent Fee, 44 l. 8 s. 10 d.

His Salary 1000 l. per Ann.

Equerries.

Equerries.

Sir *William Irby*, Bart. }
 Hon. *Charles Cornwallis*, Esq; } 150 l. per Ann. each.

Pages of Honour.

Francis Saville, Esq; }
William Legrand, Esq; } 150 l. per Ann. each.

Clerk of the Stables.

William Hodskin, Esq; 130 l. per Ann.

Purveyor of the Stables.

Mr. *George Downes*, 120 l. per Ann.

Three Coachmen at 45 l. per Ann. each.

A Chaiseman 55 l. 10 s. per Ann.

Three Postilions and Three Helpers, at 20 l. 10 s. per Ann. each.

Six Footmen at 41 l. 10 s. per Ann. each.

Chairmen at 39 l. 17 s. 6 d. per Ann. each.

Farrier, *Nathaniel Preston*, for a Nagg's Livery 20 l. per Ann.

Coach-maker, Mr. *Morris*.

The Establishment of Her Majesty's Household.

Lord Chamberlain of her Majesty's Household.

Henry Earl of *Grantham*. Salary 1200 l. per Ann.

Vice Chamberlain.

Lord *William Beauclerk*, 500 l. per Ann.

Secretary.

John Eckersall, Esq; 300 l. per Ann.

Gentlemen-Ushers of the Privy-Chamber.

Charles Fielding, Esq; }
John Savage, Esq; } 200 l. per Ann. each.
Robert Sutton, Esq;

Cup-

Cup-bearers,

Byffe Moleſworth
George Sawyer, Efqs; } 33 l. 6 s. 8 d. per An.

Carvers,

William Wyndham,
Charles Shelly, Efqs; } 60 l. each per Ann.

Sewers,

Bafil Cockram
Fran. Hutchenſon, Efqs; } 60 l. each per Ann.

Gentlemen Uſhers, Daily Waiters,

Richard Cornwallis
Phillip Meadows,
Mark Ant. Saurin, Efqs; } 150 l. each per Ann.

Gentlemen Uſhers, Quarterly Waiters,

George Shirley
Thomas Hill
Henry de Sanniers
Anth. la Melloniere, Efqs; } 100 l. each per Ann.

Grooms of the Privy-Chamber,

Mr. Hen. Wm. Lachman
Mr. Herman Hobourg
Mr. John Hill
Mr. Morgan Evans } 60 l. each per Ann.

Pages of the Prefence Chamber,

Mr. James Brown
Mr. Francis Vallaton } 40 l. each per Ann.

Page of the Robes,

Mr. John Chriſtian Krabe

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Pages

Pages of the Back-Stairs,

Mr. Jo. Christian Krabe	}	80 l. each per Ann.
Henry Wm. Lachman		
Herman Hobourg		
John Shaw		
John Nicolls Morell		
Thomas Pitts		

Grooms, or Messengers of the Great Chamber,

Mr. Jeremiah Pratt	}	40 l. each per Ann.
Mr. Richard Wm. Sasse		
Mr. Richard Alderwick		
Mr. Richard Burland		
Mr. Theophilus Proffer		

Physicians,

Dr. Alexander Stuart	}	150 l. each per Ann.
Dr. William Douglass		

Surgeon,

Mr. William Cheselden 100 l. per Ann.

Apothecary,

Mr. Ernest August Jager 200 l. per Ann.

Mistress of the Robes,

Elizabeth Dutchess of Dorset 400 l. per Ann.

Ladies of the Bed-Chamber,

Elizabeth Dutchess of Dorset	}	500 l. each per Ann.
Elizabeth Countess of Bristol		
Frances Countess of Hertford		
Sarah Dutchess of Richmond		
Henrietta Countess of Pomfret		
Anne Countess of Albemarle		
Mary Countess of Pembroke		
Dorothy Countess of Burlington		

Maids

Maids of Honour,

Mrs. <i>Mary Meadows</i>	}	300 l. per Ann. each
Mrs. <i>Bridget Carteret</i>		
Mrs. <i>Anna Maria Mordaunt</i>		
Mrs. <i>Penelope Dive</i>		
Mrs. <i>Anne Vane</i>		
Mrs. <i>Mary Fitzwilliams</i>		

Women of the Bed-Chamber

Mrs. <i>Henrietta Howard</i>	}	300 l. per Ann. each.
Mrs. <i>Mary Selwyn</i>		
Mrs. <i>Charlotte Clayton</i>		
Mrs. <i>Ch. Em. Titchbourne</i>		
Mrs. <i>Frances Neale</i>		
Mrs. <i>Mary Herbert</i>		

Sempstrefs,

Mrs. *Margaret Purcell* 150 l. per Ann.

Laundrefs,

Mrs. *Barbara Crow* 200 l. per Ann.

Necessary Woman of the private Lodgings,
Susanna Ireland 56 l. per Ann.

Necessary Woman,

Mary Hayns 35 l. per Ann.

Master of the Barges,

Mr. *Richard Scott* 30 l. per Ann.
Under him 24 Watermen, at 3 l. 3 s. each per Ann.

Master of the Horse,

Thomas Earl of Pomfret 800 l. per Ann.

Equerries,

Hon. <i>Peter Wentworth</i>	}	220 l. per Ann. each.
Hon. <i>Thomas Harvey</i>		
<i>Charles Selwyn, Esq;</i>		

Pages of Honour,

Gilbert Vane
Edward a Court, Esqs; } 150 l. each per Ann.

Clerk of the Stables, Store-Keeper, and Keeper of
the Carriages,

Mr. Robert Maybank 50 l. per Ann.

Seven Coachmen at	45 l. each per Ann.
Seven Postillions at	20 l. 10 s. each per An.
Seven Helpers at	20 l. 10 s. each per An.
Three Grooms at	55 l. 10 s. each per Ann.
Nineteen Footmen at	41 l. 1 s. each per Ann.
Four Chairmen at	39 l. 17 s. 6 d. each p. A.

Bottle Man,

Robert Morris 55 l. 10 s. per An.

Farrier,

Thomas Darlow 20 l. per Ann.

Treasurer and Receiver General,

Sir Wm. Strickland, Bar. 100 l. per Ann.

His Clerk,

Mr. Henry Popple 140 l. per Ann.

Two Messengers to at- }
the Treasurer attend } 71 l. 18 s. 4 d. each p. A.

*The Establishment of the Household of their
Royal Highnesses the Princess Royal, the
Princess Emelia, and the Princess Caroline.*

Ladies of the Bed-Chamber,

LUCT Countess of *Suffex* 400 l. per Ann.
Lady *Mary Capel* }
Lady *Anne Lumley* } 300 l. each per Ann.

Gentlemen Ushers,

Robert *Dingley*,
Henry *Villiers* }
Anthony *Ramboillet* } 100 l. each per Ann.
James *Herauld, Esqs;* }

Pages of Honour,

Robert *Dingley, jun.* }
C. *Killigrew* } 100 l. each per Ann.
William *Lee, Esqs;* }

Four Dressers, two at 70 l. and two at 50 l. per An.

Laundress,

Mrs. *Frances Gorking* 140 l. per Ann.

Chamber-Maid,

Sarah Burroughs 20 l. per Ann.

Necessary Woman, 38 l. per Ann.

Pages of the Back-Stairs,

Mr. *James Kremberg* 80 l. per Ann.
Mr. *Ernest Hething* }
Mr. *William Brink* } 60 l. each per Ann.
Mr. *John Hutchins* }

Dancing-

Dancing-Master,

Mr. *Anthony L'abbe* 240 l. per Ann.

Musick Master,

Mr. *Geo. Frederick Handell* 200 l. per Ann.

Gentleman Usher to her Royal Highness Princess
Mary,

Thomas Fazakerly, Esq;

Gentleman Usher to her Royal Highness the
Princess *Louisa,*

Frances Cocksetter, Esq; 100 l. per Ann. each

Queen's Privy Kitchen,

Master Cook, *William Daniel*, Esq; 120 l. per Ann.

Yeomen,

Thomas Wells
Emanuel Hicks } 60 l. per Ann.

Grooms,

Richard Dissel
Anthony Frothing } 50 l. each per Ann.

Children,

Edward Moon
Joseph Goddin
Charles Weston
Charles Jorden } 40 l. per Ann. each.

Scowrsers,

John How
Henry Bradnock } 30 l. each per Ann.

Yeoman of the Mouth.

John Humston, 60 l. per Ann.

Turn-

Turn-Broaches,

John Wheeler
Robert Mosely
John Fosbrook
John Pierce

} 30 l. each per Ann.

Door-keeper.

George Weaver, 30 l. per Ann.

Soil Carrier.

Randolph Maulkin, 20 l. per Ann.

The Officers of the Treasury.

THE Lord High Treasurer is generally said to be the King's Prime Minister Judicatory between the Sovereign and his People; having the Title of his Office from the Word *Treasury*. The Place for securing the publick Money is call'd the *Exchequer*, which consists of two Parts, the *Upper* and the *Lower*: The first is that where the Barons hold their Court, and the latter under the Lord Treasurer's Care, and frequently call'd the *Treasury*.

This Office was formerly enjoy'd by the chief Ecclesiasticks, who had only the Titles of Treasurers of the Exchequer 'till the Time of *Edward IV.* since which, no Bishop, Dean, &c. hath been Treasurer, except Bishop *Laud* in the Time of King *Charles I.* The last Lord High Treasurer was *Robert Earl of Oxford* and *Earl Mortimer*, since whose Time, this high Office hath been continued in Commission. The Commissioners have the Choice of all the Officers any way employ'd in collecting the Revenues of the Crown, and have in their Gift all the Customers, Searchers, and all other Officers in the Customs, except those for collecting the Duties on Coals. In all the Ports of *England* they have the like Nomination of all the Echeators in every County; and likewise the Power of Leasing out Crown Lands, &c.

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Commissioners for Executing the Office of Lord High
Treasurer, or Treasurer of the *Exchequer*.

Right Honourable Sir Robert Walpole, Knight of the Garter,	} 1600 <i>l.</i> per Ann. each.
Sir Charles Turner, Knt.	
George Doddington, Esq;	
Sir George Oxenden, Bart.	
William Clayton, Esq;	

Secretaries of the Treasury.

John Scrope, Esq;	} No Salaries.
Horatio Walpole, Esq;	

The Four chief Clerks.

Christopher Tilson, Esq;	} No Salaries.
William Lowndes, Esq;	
Henry Kelsall, Esq;	
Mark Freeker, Esq;	

Under them Twelve Clerks, who have 100 *l.* per
Ann. each, viz.

Edward Webster,	William Fox,
Thomas Bowen,	Edward Burnaby,
Robert Bunbury,	Thomas Pratt,
Peter Lebeup,	Henry Fane,
Christopher Lowe,	William Wyndham,
Charles Lowndes,	Thomas Gibson.

Sollicitor.

Anthony Cracherode, Esq;

Clerk for making up the Revenue Accompts.

John Beresford.

Chamber-keeper.

Mr. Tho. Mann, Sal. 300 *l.* per Ann. out of which
he is to find Coals and Candles for the Office.

Door-keeper.

John Jones.

Messengers

Messengers of the Chamber.

The Messenger of the Chamber attends for carrying Dispatches to the Custom-House, Excise-Office, &c. The four Under-Messengers are employ'd by the Exchequer on several Occasions concerning the Office, for carrying Letters, Receipts, &c. to all Customers, Comptrollers, &c. and have the Liberty to act by Deputies.

John Thurbottle, 6 s. 8 d. per Diem.

Four Messengers attending the Receipt of the Exchequer,

<i>Joseph Richards,</i>		<i>Edmund Granebam,</i>
<i>John Barret,</i>		<i>Thomas Lowther.</i>

Officers of the Receipt of his Majesty's Exchequer.

The Chancellor and Under-Treasurer of the Exchequer, is an Officer of very great Power and Authority, not only in the Exchequer-Court, but in the Management and Disposal of the Royal Revenue. Upon special Occasions, he sits above all the Barons of the Exchequer, and has the Superintendency and Comptrol over the Treasurer's Rolls, and the Custody of the Exchequer Seal. He is always of the Privy-Council. The Office of the Comptroller of the Pipe, Clerk of the Pells, Clerk of the Nichils, and the Seal of the Court, are in his Gift.

Chancellor and Under-Treasurer of the Exchequer,
Rt. Hon. Sir Robert Walpole, Knt. of the Garter.

Auditor of the Receipt of the Exchequer,

The Auditor of the Exchequer is the next Officer to the Chancellor of the Exchequer, and this Office is of great Value. Here are filed all the Tellers Bills, whereby they charge themselves with all Monies received, and all Orders drawn to be sign'd by the Treasury (having first a Warrant from the Commissioners

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missioners for that end) for issuing Money by virtue of Privy-Seal, which are registred by the Clerk of the Pells, and entred in the Auditor's Office, and there lodged by Warrant from the Treasury ; he also makes Debentures to the several Persons who have Fees, Annuities, or Pensions, by Letters Patent, or Warrants from the Crown, out of the Exchequer ; and directs them for Payment to the Tellers. He receives every Day the State of the Accompt of each Teller, and certifies weekly the whole to the Treasury, and they present the Estimate or Balance to the King. He makes half yearly, at *Michaelmas* and *Lady-Day*, a Book called a *Declaration*, which contains methodical Abstracts of all Accompts and Payments in the preceding half Year ; one Copy whereof he delivers to the Board of Treasury, and another to the Chancellor and Under-Treasurer of the Exchequer. He keeps likewise several Registers appointed for paying all Persons in course upon distinct Branches of the Revenue. He is *Scriptor Talliorum*, and has several Officers under him to manage the whole Produce of Monies receiv'd, disburs'd, and remaining. He also keeps the Key of the Treasury, where the antient Leagues of the Realm, and many Records of the *King's-Bench*, and *Common-Pleas* do lie ; and no Search can be made without the said Key comes, with the two Keys of both the Chamberlains of the Exchequer.

Right Honourable George Earl of *Hallifax*.

Chief Clerk,

William Ireland, Esq;

His Clerk, *Henry Bury*.

Clerk of the Debentures,

Alexander Chocke, Esq;

Register.

Mr. Nathaniel Cowdrey.

Messenger

Messenger to the Auditor's Office.
Edward Milward.

*The Four Tellers of the Receipt of his Majesty's
 Exchequer.*

Their Office is to receive all Monies due to the Crown, and thereupon to throw down a Bill thro' a Pipe into the Tally Court, where it is receiv'd by the Auditor's Clerks, who attend there to write the Words of the said Bill upon a Tally, and then deliver it to be enter'd by the Clerk of the Pells, or his Clerk; which Tally is then split or cloven by the two Deputy Chamberlains, who have their Seals, and whilst the senior Deputy reads the one Part, the junior examines the other Part, with the other two Clerks.

Their Places are in the King's Gift.

First Teller.

The Right Honourable Lord *William Pawlet.*

His First Clerk, *John Grainger, Esq;*

Other Clerks,

*Henry Walter,
 Lawrence Squib,
 John Carr,*

} Gent.

Second Teller,

The Right Honourable *Thomas Lord Onslow.*

His First Clerk, *Samuel Edwards, Esq;*

Other Clerks,

*Robert Pennant,
 Barwell Smith,
 John Spicer,*

} Gent.

Third Teller.

The Right Honourable *George Lord Parker.*

His First Clerk, *Lancelot Burton, Esq;*

Second Clerk, *Robert Stiles, Gent.*

Other Clerks,

Edward Wharton,
Robert Hindley,
John Parker, } Gent.

Fourth Teller,

The Honourable *Thomas Townshend*, Esq;
 His First Clerk, *John Dives*, Esq;
 Second Clerk, *John Stockwell*, Gent.

Other Clerks,

John Wakworth,
 Mr. ——— *Davenant*, } Gent.

Clerks for Managing Exchequer Bills.

Edmund Ball, Esq;
Thomas Fletcher,
Abraham Ball, } Gent.

Inspectors of the Treasure, Tellers, Vouchers.

Thomas Rialton,
Thomas Cremer, } Esqs;
 Clerk, *Robert White*.

Pay-Masters of the Interest due on Exchequer Bills.

Edmund Britiffe,
Edward Anguish, } Esqs.
Jeffery Dive,
 Their Clerk, *Richard Graves*.

Comptroller,

Peter Lebeuf, Esq;

Clerk of the Pells.

The Business and Office of the Clerk of the Pells, is, to enter all the Tellers Bills into a Parchment Skin (in *Latin*, *Pellis*, whence this Office takes it Name) and all Receipts and Payments for the King, of what kind soever; so that it is in the Nature of a Comptroller. He hath Four Clerks under him for the *Introitus*, the *Exitus*, the Clerk of the Declarations,

tions, and Clerk of the Patents, with Three Recording and Engrossing Clerks.

Right Honourable *Robert Lord Walpole*.

His Deputy.

Thomas Sadler, Esq;

First Clerk, *Richard Hammond*, Esq;

Clerk of the *Introitus*, *John Aubrey*, Gent.

Clerk of the *Exitus*, *George Spooner*, Gent.

Clerk of the Declarations, *George Bryers*, Gent.

Clerk of the Patents, &c. *Nath. Blackerby*, Esq;

Recording Clerk, *Jonathan Smith*, Gent.

Engrossing Clerk, *Jonathan Smith*, Gent.

Tally-Cutter.

The Tally-Cutter takes Care to provide proper Tallies in fit Lengths, which he throws into Court. He hath dividend Fees with the Clerks of the Pells.

John Taylor, Esq;

Tally Writer, *Hopton Haynes*, Esq;

Usher of the Receipt.

The Usher's Duty is to secure the Exchequer by Day and Night, and to furnish all Necessaries, as Books, Papers, &c. He has a Key also of the Treasury.

The Honourable *William Townshend*, Esq;

Chief Clerk, *William Swinbourne*, Gent.

Under Clerk, dead.

Chamberlains of the Exchequer.

The Chamberlains Places are acted by two Deputies, to whom Tallies, when written upon, are delivered, and when split, are examin'd with the Clerk's of the Pells, and his Comptrollers, and then delivered to the Party, and the Foil cast into the Chamberlain's Chest, where they are preserv'd, and so exactly rank'd and distinguish'd by Months and Years, that they may immediately be found out, to be joined with their respective Stock or Tally; which
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done, it is delivered, attested, as a proper Tally, to the Clerk of the Pipe, to be allow'd in the great Roll. They have in their Custody likewise many antient Records, Leagues, and Treaties made with Foreign Princes; the Standards of Money, Weights, and Measures, and of that famous Book call'd *Doomsday-Book*, which is kept under three Locks, not to be look'd into under 6 s. 8 d. and for every Line transcribed 4 d. They make all Searches in the Treasury for any Records, at the Suit of the Parties, and give Copies and Exemplifications of the same; and the Fees are divided between them and the Keepers of the Lord Treasurer's Key.

Sir Simeon Stewart, Bart.

Sir William Ashburnham, Bart.

Their Deputies,

George Leslie, Gent.

John Lawton, Gent.

In the Annuity Offices.

Chief Clerks.

John Dive, Esq;

William Bevor, Esq;

Under-Clerks,

Will. Wright, sen. Gent.

John Frampton, Gent.

Conley Windham, Gent.

Charles Segar, Gent.

John Mulcaster, Gent.

Edward Cowper, Gent.

Will. Wright, jun. Gent.

George Vaux, Gent.

John Dawson, Gent.

Messengers, William Betts, Henry Hodgson.

In the Annuity Pell Offices.

Chief Clerks,

Edward Fleetwood, Esq;

James Nicholson, Esq;

Under-Clerks,

Edward Symondson, Gent.

John Smith, Gent.

Richard Glyd, Gent.

Peter Daude, Gent.

Edward Newton, Gent.

George Saddler, Gent.

John Fearn, Gent.

John Sherman, Gent.

Porters, John Robinson, Thomas Hawthorne, —
Sculthorpe.

Lords

*Lords Commissioners for Executing the Office of
Lord High Admiral of Great-Britain and
Ireland.*

TO the Lord High Admiral (or those in Commission) is committed the Government of the *British* Navy, with Power to decide all Controversies and Causes Maritime, as well Civil as Criminal, for which there is a particular Court for such as happen either on our own Coasts, or beyond-Sea among his Majesty's Subjects: And of such Wrecks and Prizes as are called by the Lawyers *Logon*, *Jetson*, and *Flotson*, that is, Goods lying in the Sea, floating, or cast on Shoar; excepting in such Royalties as are granted to the Lords of the Manor, &c. All great Fishes called Royal Fish, except Whales and Sturgeon: A Share of Prizes in Time of War, and the Goods of Pyrates and Felons condemn'd by a Court of Admiralty.

The Lord High Admiral, or Lords of the Admiralty, have likewise the sole Direction of equipping and fitting out the Navy, being advertis'd thereof by the Surveyors of the Navy what Ships are most fit for present Service. They appoint the Captains, and other Officers, and grant Warrants for Impresing Seamen, &c.

Besides the Secretary and Under Secretary, and Chief Clerk, there are several other Clerks employ'd in the Dispatch of Business, and are in Number as the Board shall think proper.

The

The Right Hon. George Lord
Viscount Torrington,
John Cockburn, Esq;
Sir John Norris, Kt.
Sir Charles Wager, Kt.
Sir Thomas Littleton, Kt.
George Lord Viscount Malpas,
Sir William Tonge, Knight of
the Bath

1000 l. per Ann. each.

Secretary, Josiah Burchet, Esq; 800 l. per Ann.

Chief Clerk, Thomas Corbet, Esq; 400 l. per Ann.

Other Clerks,

Mr. Thomas Hawes, 200 l. per Ann.

Mr. Anne Burchet, 150 l. per Ann.

Mr. ——— Troughton, 130 l. per Ann.

Mr. Robert Osborn, 120 l. per Ann.

Mr. Andrew Ram, 80 l. per Ann.

Mr. William Mills, 70 l. per Ann.

Mr. Jasper Borredel, 60 l. per Ann.

Council at Law for the Affairs of the Board,

Mr. Serjeant Baynes.

Advocate, Dr. Fuller.

Proctor, George Sayer.

Sollicitor, Thomas Jobber, Esq;

Marshal, John Cheeke.

Messengers, Luke Bennet, John Gould, John Rogers.

Porter, Richard Ellison.

Commissioners and Officers of the Navy.

Treasurer.

The Treasurer of the Navy is the principal Officer, whose Business it is to receive out of the Exchequer, by Warrant from the Treasury, all Monies for paying the Charges of the Navy, by Warrant from the principal Officers thereof. He had formerly 220 l. 13 s. and 4 d. per Ann. besides 3 d. per Pound out of all Money paid by him, but hath now certain from the King 2000 l. per Ann. and 800 l. per Ann. more for his Instruments.

The Hon. Pattee Byng, Esq; 2000 l. per Ann.

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Comptroller.

The Comptroller of the Navy comptrolls all Payment of Wages, takes Cognizance of the Market-Rates of all Stores belonging to Shipping; and examines and audits all 'Treasurers, Victuallers, and Store-keepers Accompts.

James Mighels, Esq;

Surveyor.

The Office of Surveyor is generally to know the State of his Majesty's Stores, and to see them supplied; to survey the Ships, Masts, and Yards, and make an Estimate of the Value of Repairs: To charge all Boatswains, and Carpenters of his Majesty's Navy, with what Stores they receive; and at the End of the Voyage, to audit their Accompts.

Sir Jacob Ackworth, Knt.

Clerk of the Acts.

The Clerk of the Acts records all Orders, Contracts, Bills, Warrants, and other Matters transacted by the principal Officers of the Navy.

Thomas Pearse, Esq;

His Assistant, *Mr. Samuel Percival.*

Those which follow are usually stiled Commissioners; one comptrolls the Treasurer's Accompts, another the Store-keeper's Accompts, and the third the Victualling Accounts. There are three of them resident at *Plymouth, Portsmouth, and Chatham*, and have the Care and Management of the Navy at those Ports. And the others, who are call'd Commissioners Extraordinary, are principally employed in managing the Navy. All the principal Officers and Commissioners hold their Places by Patent under the Great Seal.

Comptroller of the Treasurer's Accompts,
Sir George Saunders, Knt.

Comptroller of the Store-keeper's Accompts,
William Cleveland, Esq;

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Comptrollers

Comptrollers of the Victualling Accompts,

*Thomas Kempthorne, Esq; at Chatham.**Sir Isaac Townshend at Portsmouth.**Sir Nicholas Trevanion at Plymouth.**Mr. William Prescot, Assistant, 300 l. per Ann.**Mr. Hammond, Clerk to the Comptroller of the Navy, 250 l. per Ann.**Commissioners for Victualling his Majesty's Navy.*

The Victualling his Majesty's Navy has formerly been taken by Contract, but is now managed by seven Commissioners, who have their Agents at the several Ports of the Kingdom. They contract for all manner of Provisions and Necessaries, and have Trademen for killing of Meat, salting of it, for Baking, Brewing, &c. by which the King's Fleet is constantly well served.

The two first of the Commissioners of the Transport, being also Commissioners of the Navy, have no Salaries.

*Henry Cartwright, Esq;**William Fisher, Esq;**George Husley, Esq;**Edward Trelawney, Esq;**Henry Parsons, Esq;**Thomas Revell, Esq;**John Berkeley, Esq;*

} 400 l. per Ann.
each.

*Secretary, Mr. Seth Jeremy 200 l. per Ann.**Accomptant General, and Keeper of the Register,**Mr. John Bishop, — 120 l. per Ann.**Accomptant for Stores, Mr. James Lovelace, 120 l. per Ann.**Cashier, Mr. Jeys Seawell.**Sir Henry Penrice, President and Judge of the High Court of Admiralty, 800 l. per Ann.**Kendrick Edisbury, Esq; Commissioner for Sick and Hurt Seamen, 500 l. per Ann.*

A List of his Majesty's Forces on the Establishment in Great Britain.

FIRST Troop of Horse-Guards, consisting of 156 private Gentlemen, one Captain, two Lieutenants or Lieutenant Colonels, one Cornet, one Guidon, four Exempts, four Brigadiers, four Sub-Brigadiers, one Chaplain, one Adjutant, one Surgeon, four Trumpeters, one Kettle-Drummer; in all 181.

Captain and Colonel, *Henry Lord Herbert.*

Second Troop of Horse-Guards, of the same Number of the private Gentlemen and Officers.

Captain and Colonel, *Algernoon Earl of Hertford.*

Third Troop of Horse-Guards of the same Number.

Captain and Colonel, *George Earl of Cholmondeley.*

Fourth Troop of Horse-Guards added by the *Union.*

Captain and Colonel, *James Ld. Viscount Shannon.*

First Troop of Grenadier Guards, consisting of 145 private Men, one Captain, one Lieutenant, and Lieutenant Colonel, one Major, two Lieutenants and Captains, one Guidon and Captain, two Sub-Lieutenants, one Chaplain, one Surgeon, one Adjutant, six Serjeants, six Corporals, four Drummers, four Hautboys; in all 176.

Captain and Colonel, *Hon. John Fane, Esq;*

Second Troop of Grenadier-Guards added by the *Union*, consisting of the same Number. A Marshal to the Horse and Grenadier-Guards.

Captain and Colonel, *Hon. Henry Berkeley, Esq;*

Royal Regiment of Horse-Guards, *Blue*, consisting of 243 private Men, in nine Troops; one Colonel, one Lieutenant Colonel, one Major, six Captains, nine Lieutenants, nine Cornets, nine Muster-masters, eighteen Corporals, nine Trumpeters, one Chaplain,

one Surgeon, one Adjutant, one Kettle-Drummer ;
in all 310.

Colonel, *Charles Duke of Bolton.*

Royal Regiment of Horse, *Red*, consisting of 225
private Men, in nine Troops, and the same Number
of Officers, &c.

Colonel, *Richard Lord Viscount Cobham.*

The Queen's Regiment of Horse, consisting of
150 private Men, in six Troops ; one Colonel, one
Lieutenant-Colonel, one Major, three Captains, six
Lieutenants, six Cornets, six Quarter-masters, twelve
Corporals, six Trumpeters ; in all 196.

Colonel, *John Duke of Argyll.*

Regiment of Horse, of the same Number.

Colonel, Major General *Wade.*

D R A G O O N S.

Royal Regiment of Dragoons, *English*, consisting
of 150 private Men, in six Troops ; one Colonel, one
Lieutenant-Colonel, one Major, three Captains, six
Lieutenants, six Cornets, six Quarter-masters, twelve
Corporals, one Chaplain, one Adjutant, one Surgeon,
six Drummers, six Hautboys ; in all 207.

Colonel, Major General *Gore.*

Royal Regiment of Dragoons, *Scots*, of the same
Number.

Colonel *Campbell.*

Earl of *Stair's*,

Lieut. Gen. *Carpenter's*,

Colonel *Kerr's*,

Brigadier *Honywood's*,

Brigadier *Churchil's*,

Lieut. General *Evans's*.

F O O T.

First Regiment of Foot-Guards, consisting of 1346
private Men, in twenty-eight Companies ; one Colo-
nel, one Major, one second Major, one Chaplain, one
Surgeon, two Mates, three Adjutants, two Quarter-
masters, one Solicitor to the Regiment, one Drum-
major, one Deputy-marshal, three Hautboys, twenty-
four Captains or Colonels, 29 Lieutenants or Captains,
27 Ensigns, 84 Serjeants, 84 Corporals, 56 Drum-
mers ; in all 1669.

Colo-

Colonel, Sir *Charles Wills*, Knight of the Bath.

Coldstream, or Second Regiment of Foot-Guards, consisting of 865 private Men, in eighteen Companies, and Officers accordingly ; in all 1072.

Colonel, *Richard Earl of Scarborough*.

Third Regiment of Foot-Guards, of the same Number with the last. Colonel, Earl of *Dunmore*.

FOOT.

Each Regiment consisting of 340 private Men, 1 Colonel, 1 Lieutenant-Colonel, 1 Major, 7 Captains, 11 Lieutenants, 9 Ensigns, 20 Serjeants, 30 Corporals, 1 Chaplain, 1 Adjutant, 1 Quarter-master, 1 Surgeon, 1 Mate, 2 Drummers ; in all 445.

Ten Regiments more of the same Number.

Eleven Regiments, *viz.* *Kirk, Harrison, Cadogan, Earl of Deloraine, Grove, Mountague, Maccartney, Londonderry, Sabine, Clayton, and Whetham.*

Of twelve Companies each, in *Minorca* : *Kane, Ch. Otway, and Bisset.*

Of twelve Companies each, in *Gibraltar* : *Lord Mark Kerr, Meredith, and Pearce.*

Of ten Companies each, in *America* : *Londonderry, and Phillips.*

Eight Independant Companies in *America*, *viz.* four at *New-York*, two at *Jamaica*, one at *Bermudas*, one at the *Bahama Islands*.

Total on the British Establishment.

Horse,	————	2071
Dragoons,	———	1656
Foot,	————	8708
In Great Britain,	—	12435
In Minorca,	———	2260
In Gibraltar,	———	1464
In America,	———	1699
Total		17,858

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*Here are to be computed Four Regiments transferr'd
from the Irish Establishment in 1719, and also
Two others from Minorca.*

A List of GENERAL OFFICERS.

Generals.	Earl of Orrery	<i>William Stewart</i>
Earl of Orkney	E. of Deloraine	E. of Hyndford
Earl of Portmore	<i>Russel</i>	<i>Grant</i>
Duke of Argyll	<i>Bisset</i>	<i>Bruce</i>
E. of Peterborow,	<i>Price</i>	<i>Panton</i>
General of all his	<i>John Kerr</i>	<i>Waring</i>
Majesty's marine	<i>Gore</i>	<i>Richards</i>
Forces	<i>Honeywood</i>	E. of Longford
E. of Cholmondeley	<i>Grove</i>	<i>Hunt Withers</i>
Rofs	<i>Wheeler</i>	E. of Dunmore
Lieut. Generals.	Lord Mark Kerr	Sir <i>James Wood</i>
<i>Withers</i>	<i>Hunter</i>	<i>Borgard</i>
Lord <i>Windsor</i>	<i>Moncall,</i>	<i>Columbine</i>
E. of <i>Strafford</i>	<i>Crofts</i>	<i>Franks</i>
Lord <i>Shannon</i>	<i>Napier</i>	<i>Newton</i>
Marq. <i>Montandre</i>	<i>Dalzel</i>	<i>Pocock</i>
Lord <i>Carpenter</i>	<i>Dormer</i>	<i>Churchil</i>
Earl of <i>Stair</i>	<i>Crieghton</i>	<i>Borrel</i>
Lord <i>Cobham</i>		<i>Hopkey</i>
<i>Wills</i>	Brigad ^r Generals.	<i>Clayton</i>
<i>Maccartney</i>	Sir <i>James Jefferys</i>	<i>Jones</i>
<i>Tatton</i>	<i>John Stewart</i>	<i>Kirk</i>
<i>Wynne</i>	<i>Sutton</i>	<i>Dubourgay</i>
<i>Whetham</i>	<i>Hamilton</i>	<i>Gually</i>
<i>Pearce</i>	<i>Hobart</i>	<i>Moyle</i>
<i>Evans</i>	<i>Ferrars</i>	<i>Parker</i>
<i>Sabine</i>	<i>Peyton</i>	<i>Tyrell</i>
<i>Wade</i>	<i>Bowls</i>	<i>Fielding</i>
	<i>Sterne</i>	<i>Desbordes</i>
Major Generals.	<i>Preston</i>	<i>Kerr</i>
<i>Kellum</i>	<i>Mead</i>	E. of <i>Hertford</i>
<i>Sybourg</i>	<i>Windsor</i>	Sir <i>Robert Rich</i>
<i>Holmes</i>	<i>Colbett</i>	<i>Sautipolite</i>
		General

General and Staff-Officers, their full Pay.

	<i>Per Diem.</i>			<i>For 365 Days.</i>		
	<i>l.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>	<i>l.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>
Captain General, and } Commander in Chief, }	10	00	0	3650	00	0
Two <i>Aid de Camps</i> , each 10s.	01	00	0	365	00	0
Secretary to the Capt. Gen.	00	10	0	182	10	0
Three Generals at 1200 <i>l.</i> } <i>per Ann.</i> each, }	09	17	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	3600	00	0
Secretary to the Generals,	00	10	0	182	10	0
Six Lieutenant Generals, } at 970 <i>l.</i> <i>per Ann.</i> each, }	15	18	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	5820	00	0
Six Major Generals, at } 485 <i>l.</i> <i>per Ann.</i> each, }	07	19	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	2910	00	0
Eleven Brigadiers, at 365 <i>l.</i> } <i>per Ann.</i> each, }	11	00	0	4015	00	0
Paymaster General,	01	00	0	365	00	0
Secretary to the Forces,	01	00	0	365	00	0
Commissary General of the Musters, 1 <i>l.</i> 5 <i>s.</i> 8 <i>d.</i> $\frac{3}{4}$ <i>per</i> Day, whereof 150 <i>l.</i> <i>per</i> <i>Ann.</i> to be paid out of the Day's Pay allowed by the Establishment to Chelsea Hospital, To the Deputy Commissa- ry Gen. 1 <i>l.</i> 3 <i>s.</i> <i>per Diem</i> , To 7 Deputy Commissa- ries, 10 <i>s.</i> each <i>per Diem</i> , To one Deputy Commis- sary in North Britain, 10 <i>s.</i> <i>per Diem</i> , One Deputy at Jersey and Guernsey, 2 <i>s.</i> 6 <i>d.</i> <i>per Diem</i> , One for Scilly, 1 <i>s.</i> 4 <i>d.</i> <i>per</i> <i>Diem</i> , and two Clerks at 2 <i>s.</i> 6 <i>d.</i> each,	05 19 04			2177	16	08
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	<i>Per Diem.</i>	<i>For 365 Days.</i>
	<i>l. s. d.</i>	<i>l. s. d.</i>
Brought over		23632 16 8
Two Comptrollers of the } Accompts of the Army, } at 750 l. each,	04 02 2½	1500 00 0
Secretary to the Comp- } trollers,	00 16 4¾	300 00 6
Adjutant General,	01 00 0	365 00 0
Quarter-master General,	01 00 0	365 00 0
Deputy Quarter-master } General,	00 10 0	182 10 0
Quarter-master General } for <i>North Britain</i> ,	00 10 0	182 10 0
Judge Advocate General } for himself 15 s. and for } his Clerk 2 s. 6 d. and for } his Deputy at <i>Guernsey</i> } and <i>Fersey</i> , 2 s. 6 d. }	01 00 0	365 00 0
Clerk of the Court-Mar- } tial in <i>North Britain</i> ,	00 07 6	136 17 6
Physician General,	00 10 0	182 10 0
Surgeon General,	00 10 0	182 10 0
Apothecary General,	00 10 0	182 10 0
	65 11 0¾	27577 04 8
<i>Contingencies upon Account</i>	54 15 10¼	20000 00 0

Note, *The General Staff-Officers* aforementioned, are such as had establish'd Pay, as General Officers, till the Parliament in December 1718, struck off this establish'd Pay from all General Officers, as well the Number herein mentioned, as the rest in the whole List. And the Contingencies upon Account, were at the same Time reduced from 20000 l. to 10000 l.

*An ABSTRACT of the Officers of the Forces
Pay per Diem.*

	<i>Horse.</i>			<i>Dragoons.</i>			<i>Foot-guards.</i>			<i>Foot.</i>		
	<i>l.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>	<i>l.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>	<i>l.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>	<i>l.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>
C OL. and Captain,	2	1	0	1	15	0	1	19	0	1	4	0
Lt. Col. and Capt.	1	9	6	1	4	6	1	8	6	0	17	0
Major and Captain,	1	7	0	1	0	6	1	4	6	0	15	0
Captain,	1	1	6	0	15	6	0	16	6	0	10	0
Lieutenant,	0	15	0	0	9	0	0	7	10	0	4	8
Cornet, or Ensign,	0	14	0	0	8	0	0	5	10	0	3	8
Quarter-master,	0	8	6	0	5	6	0	4	0	0	4	8
Chaplain,	0	6	8	0	6	8	0	6	8	0	6	8
Adjutant,	0	5	0	0	5	0	0	4	0	0	4	0
Surgeon,	0	6	0	0	6	0	0	4	0	0	4	0
Mate,	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	6	0	2	6
Kettle-Drum, or { Drummer,	0	3	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	1	0
Drum Major,	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	6	0	0	0
Trumpeter,	0	2	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Serjeant,	0	0	0	0	2	6	0	1	6	0	1	6
Corporal,	0	3	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	1	0
Hautboys,	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	6	0	0	0
Deputy Marshal,	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Private Man,	0	2	6	0	1	6	0	0	10	0	0	8
Sollicitor,	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0

*An ABSTRACT of the Officers of the Horse
and Grenadiers Pay per Diem.*

	<i>Troop of Horse Guards.</i>			<i>Grenadier Guards.</i>		
	<i>l.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>	<i>l.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>
T O a Captain and Colonel,	1	16	0	1	10	0
Lieutenant and Lieut. Col.	1	3	0	1	2	6
Cornet, ———	1	2	0	0	0	0
Major, ———	0	0	0	1	0	0
Guidon, ———	1	0	0	0	0	0

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Exempt,

	<i>Troop of Horse Guards.</i>			<i>Grenadier Guards.</i>		
	<i>l.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>	<i>l.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>
Exempt, ——— —	0	13	0	0	0	0
Lieutenant and Captain, —	0	0	0	0	17	0
Guidon and Captain, —	0	0	0	0	16	0
Brigadier, — — —	0	10	0	0	0	0
Sub-Brigadier, ———	0	5	0	0	0	0
Sub-Lieutenant, ———	0	0	0	0	10	0
Chaplain, — — ———	0	6	8	0	6	8
Adjutant, ——— —	0	7	0	0	7	0
Surgeon, ——— ———	0	8	0	0	8	0
Trumpeter, ——— —	0	5	0	0	0	0
Serjeant, ——— ———	0	0	0	0	4	0
Corporal, — — ———	0	0	0	0	3	0
Kettle-Drummer, or Drummer,	0	5	0	0	2	6
Hautboy, ——— —	0	0	0	0	2	6
Marshal to the Horse and Gre- nadier Guards, ——— } Private Gentlemen, ———	0	7	0	0	0	0
	0	4	0	0	2	6

PAYMASTER GENERAL.

Paymaster General of his Majesty's Guards and Garrisons in *Great Britain*,

Rt. Hon. *Spencer Lord Wilmington*, Kt. of the Bath.

The Commissary General has under him eight Commissaries for *Great Britain*, who are assign'd for many Circuits to take Care of all Musters ; and are to close their Muster-Rolls upon the Place the same Day the Muster is taken, and to return one of the said Rolls to the Paymaster General, and another to the Comptrollers of the Accompts of the Army immediately after the Rolls are clos'd, on Pain of forfeiting their Places, and twenty Pounds. The Mayor,
or

or chief Magistrate, where such Musters are made, is to be present and sign the Muster-Roll. There is also one Deputy Commissary at *Guernsey* and *Jersey*, one at the Isle of *Scilly*, one at *Gibraltar*, one at *Minorca*, and one at *New Providence* in *America*.

Commissary General, *David Polhill*, Esq;
Deputy Commissary Gen. *Sir Anthony Westcombe*, Bar.

Deputies for *South Britain*.

<i>Edward Newton</i> , Esq;		<i>John Duxell</i> , Esq;
<i>John Rigton</i> , Esq;		<i>Christopher Whytel</i> , Esq;
<i>Peter Davenport</i> , Esq;		<i>Thomas Sydenham</i> , Esq;
<i>Rich. Tempest Culliford</i> , Esq;		

For all *North Britain*, *Alexander Gordon*, Esq;

The Deputy Commissary General has two Clerks allow'd him upon the Establishment.

The Secretary at War hath all the Dispatches and Orders for the Army pass thro' his Hands, as the Secretaries of State have of the Affairs of State. There are, besides what are set down, three establish'd Clerks, who have from 80 *l.* to 50 *l.* per Ann. and three supernumerary Clerks at 30 *l.* and 20 *l.* per Ann.

Secretary at War, Rt. Hon. *Henry Pelham*, Esq;

His Deputy, *Richard Arnold*, Esq;

First Clerk, *Thomas Spence*, Esq;

Secretary at War, old Salary, 1000 *l.*

Ditto, Additional, 1000 *l.*

Allowance at 1 *l.* per Diem in the Establishment of Guards and Garrisons, 365 *l.* per Ann.

For Deputy and Clerks employ'd in the said Office, 445 *l.* per Ann.

Allow'd Secretary at War for a House, 200 *l.* per Ann.

All Contingencies of the Office for Books, &c. paid by Warrant out of the Poundage and Contingencies of the Army.

A Messenger and Office-keeper.

Besides the Salaries, there are considerable Perquisites belonging to the Deputy and chief Clerk.

Comptrollers of the Accompts of the Army.
 Sir *Philip Meadows*, Kt. Hon. *James Bruce*, Esq;
 Secretary, ——— *Nelson*, Esq;
 Chaplain-General of the Army, Dr. ———
 Physician-General, Dr. *John Hollings*.
 Surgeon-General, *Alexander Inghish*, Esq;
 Apothecary, Mr. *Graham*.
 Judge Advocate, or chief Judge upon Trials by
 Court-Martial, who has Power to call Courts
 and give Sentence, *Edward Hughs*, Esq;
See their Salaries among the Staff-Officers.

Office of ORDNANCE.

THE Master-General of the Ordnance, hath the Supreme Power and Superintendency over his Majesty's Office of Ordnance, which is the standing and grand Magazine of Arms, Habiliments, Instruments, and Utensils of War, as well by Sea as Land, not only for those lodg'd in the *Tower*, but in all the Garrisons, Castles, Forts, &c. in *England*, from whence, as Occasion requires, his Majesty's Armies, &c. are supplied. From him are derived all Orders and Dispatches relating to the same, as the Service shall best require. It is a Place of very great Honour and Trust, and of late has been often annex'd to the Office of General and Commander in chief. *In the King's Gift.*

Master-Gen. *John Duke of Argyll*, 1500 *l.* per Ann.

The Lieutenant-General receives all Orders from the Master-General and the rest of the Prime Officers at the Board, to see them duly executed; to make Orders as the King's Occasions shall require, more especially in such Cases, where the King's immediate Warrant, or Warrants from the Admiralty are not requisite. From him also proceed the Orders for firing the great Guns on publick Days of Rejoicing, and to see the Train of Artillery fitted out, when order'd to take the Field. *In the King's Gift.*

Lieute-

Lieutenant-General,

Sir *Charles Wills*, Kt. of the *Bath*, and Lieutenant-General of his Majesty's Forces, 800 *l. per Ann.* and 300 *l.* more for a House in the *Minories* belonging to him.

The Surveyor has the Inspection of his Majesty's Ordnance, Stores and Provisions of War, in the Custody of the Store-keepers, which he is to see so order'd, as shall be best for its Preservation and Safety. To allow all Bills of Debt; to keep a Checque upon all Labourers and Artificers Work; and to see that the Stores, &c. deliver'd, are good and serviceable, and duly prov'd, with the Assistance of the Proof-Master, and other Officers, and then to see 'em mark'd with the King's Marks.

Surveyor-General, *John Armstrong*, Esq; 300 *l. per Ann.* and 300 *l.* additional.

The Clerk of the Ordnance records all Orders and Instructions given for the Government of the Office; together with all Patents, Grants, and the Names of all Officers, &c. who enjoy the said Grants, or any other Fees from the King for the same. Draws all Estimates for Provisions and Supplies; and all Letters, Instructions, Commissions, Deputations, and Contracts for his Majesty's Service. Makes all Bills of Interest and Debentures for Payment of Artificers and Creditors of the Office. All Quarter-Books for Salaries, Allowances and Wages of all Officers, Clerks, &c. belonging to the Office. He likewise keeps Journals, and Ledgers of Receipts and Returns of all his Majesty's Stores; and finally to serve as a Checque between the two Accomptants of the Office, the one for Money, the other for Stores.

Clerk of the Ordnance.

Tho. White, Esq; 400 *l. per Ann.* and 100 *l.* Additional.

The Store-keeper is to take into his Custody all his Majesty's Ordnance, Ammunition and Stores thereto belonging; and to indent and give in legal Security for
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the safe keeping thereof; to render exact Account from Time to Time, and take Care of receiving none but serviceable Stores, or before they have been inspected by the Surveyor. Not to issue any Proportion of Stores, Ordnance, Ammunition, &c. but what is agreed to, and sign'd by the Officers, according to the Appointment of the Master of the Ordnance, founded on his Majesty's Orders, or fix of the Privy-Council, or the Admiralty, so far as it relates to the Navy. Nor is he to receive any Stores formerly issued, till they have been review'd by the Surveyor, and register'd by the Clerk of the Ordnance. He is likewise carefully to inspect the Store-houses, to see them kept decent and in good order, &c.

Store-keeper, *George Gregory, Esq; 400 l. per Ann.*

The Duty of the Clerk of the Delivery, is to draw up all Provisions, either at the *Tower*, or any other of his Majesty's Magazines, to see them duly executed; and by particular Indentures or Receipt, to charge the Receiver of his Majesty's Stores, as likewise to register Warrants of Delivery, as the Quantities deliver'd.

Clerk of the Deliveries, *Leonard Smelt, Esq; 300 l. per Ann. and 40 l. for a Horse.*

Thro' his Hands passes the Money of the whole Office, as well for Payment of Salaries as Debentures, and no Money to be paid, or disburs'd by him, but what is appointed by the Master General.

Treasurer, *John Plumtree, Esq; 500 l. per Ann.*

Out of these is composed a Board, usually held three times a Week, for transacting all Affairs relating to the Ordnance.

Secretary to the Master-General.

This Office carries with it its own Denomination: By the Master-General's Orders and Direction, he writes all Orders, Warrants, &c. relating to the Service.

Leonard Smelt, Esq; 200 l. per Ann.

Engineers.

They are under the Power and Jurisdiction of the Master-

Master-General, who assigns them their Duty, which is to survey the Fortifications of the Kingdom, and when in want of Repair, are to give Directions for repairing them. In time of War they usually attend the Captain General, and have the Direction of playing the Artillery, and carrying on the Approaches in a Siege, &c.

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Second Engineer, *Colonel Lasceles,* 150 *l. per Ann.*

Third Engineer, *Colly Lilly,* 150 *l. per Ann.*

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By an old Custom it is assign'd to the Master-Gunner, to teach all such as desire to learn the Art of Gunnery ; and he has Power to administer an Oath to his Pupils, which binds them not only to Allegiance, but that they shall not serve any Foreign Prince or State, without express Leave from their own Sovereign ; nor can he teach any but such as have taken the said Oath : When there is a want of Gunners, he certifies the Capacity of such Persons as are recommended to be Gunners in his Majesty's Train. *Colonel Watson,* 190 *l. per Ann.*

Officers of his Majesty's MINT, within the Tower of London.

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THE Warden, or Keeper of the Charge of Coinage of Money, is the principal Officer employ'd in the Mint ; whose Duty it is to receive all Gold and Silver, brought in by Merchants, Goldsmiths, or others, to pay them for it, and to oversee and inspect all the rest.

Sir Andrew Fountaine, Knt. for himself, Clerks and Servants, 600 *l. per Ann.*

Master Worker.

The next Officer is the Master Worker of all the Monies coin'd, who receives the Bullion from the Warden, gives Direction for its being melted ;
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gives it to the Moneyers, and when it is minted, receives it from 'em again. His Allowance formerly was not certain, but according to the Pound Weight, as appear'd by Indenture under the *Great Seal*, but now it is a constant Salary, as express'd.

John Conduit, Esq; for himself and Clerks 500*l.*
per Ann.

Comptroller.

The Comptroller sees that all the Money be made according to the Assize; to inspect the Officers, and comptrol them, if the Money be otherwise coin'd.

Lord *Aylmer*, for himself and Clerk 340*l.*

Affay Master.

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Hopton Haynes, Esq; 400*l.* *per Ann.*

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Lieutenant General *Evans*, 100*l.* *per Ann.*

Weigher and Teller.

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John Phillips, Esq;

Clerk of the Papers.

The Clerk of the Papers keeps the Registers and Records of what is done, and the Engraver takes Care of the Dies for the coining all Monies.

Thomas Hill, Esq;

Chief Engraver, *John Corker*, Esq;

Keeper of the Tower Records.

The Keeper of the Records is an Office distinct from the *Mint*, and is of great Antiquity and Repute.

Richard Topham, Esq;

His Deputy, Mr. *George Holmes*.

A LIST

*A LIST of the Lords Lieutenants of the
several Counties of England and Wales.*

THEY are Officers, of great Distinction, appointed by the King, for managing the standing Militia of the Country, and all military Matters: They are generally of the principal Nobility, and those of the best Interest in the County. They are to form the Militia in Case of a Rebellion, &c. and march at the Head of them as the King shall direct. They have the Power of commissioning Colonels, Majors, Captains, and Subaltern Officers. Also to present the King with the Names of the Deputy-Lieutenants, whom he is to select from the best Gentry in the Country, and are to act in his Absence. No Subject is to be charged with a Horseman, unless he has 500*l.* a Year, or 6000*l.* personal Estate; nor with a Foot Soldier, unless he have 50*l.* yearly, or 600*l.* personal Estate. Subservient to the Lords Lieutenants, and Deputy Lieutenants, are the Justices of the Peace, who according to the Orders they receive from them, are to issue out Warrants to the High and Petty Constables, &c. for military Service, &c.

E N G L A N D.

Bedford, *Henry Duke of Kent.*
Berks, *Charles Duke of St. Albans.*
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of the Garter.*

Of the Order of the Garter.

THIS most noble Order was instituted by King *Edward III.* in the Year 350, which gives it the Pre-eminence of all other Orders Abroad, in Point of Antiquity. The said King, after his Victories in *France*, chose to reward most eminent Men who had serv'd him in those Wars, with this most noble Order; and since then, it has been generally confer'd on Persons most distinguished by their high Characters or personal Merit. And the more to honour it, there have been more Emperors, Kings and Foreign Princes of this one Order, than of all others in the World. It has always kept precisely to their primitive Number, never exceeding 26. The Patron of the Order is *St. George*, who suffered Martyrdom under *Dio- clesian* the Emperor; in

Memory of whom they wear the *George*, adorn'd with Pearls and Precious Stones, appendant to a blue Ribbon. Besides which, they wear on the Left Leg, a Garter enamel'd with Gold, Jewels, &c. with the Motto, *Honi Soit Qui Mal y Pense*; and a Buckle of Gold, from whence they were call'd Knights of the Garter; without which two Ornaments they are never to appear in Publick. As for the rest of the Order, which is very magnificent, they are never worn but on solemn Occasions, as at *St. George's* Feast, at Installations, &c. Every Knight is bound to fasten an Escutcheon of his Arms, on a Plate of Metal over their several Stalls, with an Inscription of their Names, Titles, &c. which they remove as they are advanced in Order higher. In like Manner they advance their Banners, Swords,

Swords and Helmets, taking Place, according to the Seniority of their Election, except as to Emperors, Kings, and Foreign Princes. The Oath they subscribe at their Installations, besides other Articles, is this, viz. *That whilst they are Fellows of the Order, they will defend the Honour, Quarrels, Rights, and Lordships of the Sovereign; endeavour to preserve the Honour of the Order, and all the Statutes made for the same.*

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| 13 Duke of <i>Montagu</i> . | |

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Dr. *Richard Willis*, Lord Bishop of *Winchester*.

Is the first principal Officer of the Order, and his Office is as ancient as the Institution it self. *William de Edynton*, then Bishop of *Winchester*, was the first Prelate, and his Successors, Bishops of *Winchester*, have continued so ever since. 'Tis an Office of great Honour, but has neither Salary nor Fees allowed him; only he has convenient Lodgings allowed in *Windsor-Castle*, thence called *Winchester Tower*; and that as often as he comes thither, (by the Sovereign's Command) he ought to have Court Livery allow'd for himself

self and Servants, according to the Degree of an Earl. Besides the Precedency granted him in Parliament, as Bishop of *Winchester*, which is next the Bishop of *Durham*. He had before, by Virtue of this Office, Place and Precedence before all Bishops, and next to the Archbishops. He is obliged to wear the Habit of the Order, on the *Vigil*, and Feast Day of St.

George, whether in Parliament, or any other solemn Occasion or Festival whatever: And in all Proceeding and Ceremonies he is on the Right Hand of the Chancellor, and that he may marshal his Arms within the ennobled Garter; it having been customary for him to furround them, impaled with those of the See of *Winchester*, with this noble Order.

Chancellor of the GARTER.

Dr. Benjamin Hoadly, Lord Bishop of *Salisbury*.

This Office was anciently invested in one of the Knights Companions, which was the keeping of the common Seal, 'till King *Edward IV.* in the 16. of his Reign, thought it necessary to settle it distinct therefrom, at what Time the Seal was delivered to *Richard Beauchamp*, then Bishop of *Salisbury*, with the Title of Chancellor, which afterwards he had settled on him for Life, the Castle of *Windsor*, being within the Diocese of *Salisbury*, and to the suc-

ceeding Bishops of *Salisbury*; nor does it appear that ever this Order was broke thro', 'till King *Edward VI.* in the 7th of his Reign made Sir *William Cecil*, then Secretary of State, Chancellor of the Garter, with Order that it should be executed by a Knight only; and so it continu'd 'till King *Charles I.* with the unanimous Consent of the Knights Companions, resettled it on the Bishops of *Salisbury*. He has Place and Precedence in all Proceedings

ings and Sessions, next the Prelate; and in all Places and Assemblies is rank'd after the Knights, Privy Counsellors, and before the Chancellor of the Exchequer. The Statutes allow him Residence in *Windsor-Castle*, thence called the *Chancellor's Tower*, as likewise Diet and Livery in the Sovereign's Court, as were allow'd the Prelate. At the Institution he had no Pension allow'd, 'till the Constitutions relating to the Order were establish'd, and then 100*l. per Ann.* was settled on him, or else Fees in lieu thereof proportionable, from Offices or Promotions; but as to Fees or Perquisites, there are none due to him; for which Reason he has the aforesaid Pension, and all his Disbursements touching the Affairs of the Order repaid, even to the Paper, Wax and Wafers. The Seal, of which he had Custody, was at first call'd the *Common Seal*, but now the *Great Seal* of the Order; the Use whereof, is not only for

sealing the Original Statutes appointed to remain perpetually in *Windsor-College*, but likewise those Copies of which each Knight Companion is obliged to have one in his keeping, with Letters of Licence, Mandates and Certificates relating to the Order. There is also a *Privy Signet*, instituted by King *Henry VIII.* in the last Year of his Reign, in case the Sovereign should go beyond Sea, to Seal such acts as were made by the Sovereign whilst Abroad, to distinguish them from those of his Deputies here in *England*. The same Prince order'd the Arms of the Order both on the *Common Seal* and *Signet*, which were again alter'd by King *James I.* and King *Charles I.* and are appointed to be carried before the Sovereign on all publick Occasions, during *St. George's Feast*, &c. by the Chancellor, who is not permitted to be above ten Miles distant from the Court unless by express Leave..

Register of the GARTER.
Vacant.

This Officer was one of the three constituted at the first Institution of the Order. In the Time of *Henry VIII.* it was given to *John Vesey* Dean of *Windsor*, and so continu'd to many of his Successors, not in respect that they were Deans, but that they were Canons of *Windsor*. King *Charles I.* ordain'd, That the Dean of *Windsor*, and the Register of the Garter, should always meet in the same Person. By the Constitution of his Office, he has 50 *l.* per Annum allow'd, or Fees, &c. in lieu of it. He hath also Lodgings in the Castle of *Windsor*, and on all Solemnities bears on his Breast, a red Book of the Order, with this Device, *Two Pens in Saltire within the Garter.*

Garter Principal King at Arms.
John Anstis Esq;

This Officer was constituted by King *Henry V.* who, to add the greater Dignity, was pleased to assign him the principal Officer within the Office or College of Arms; and King *Henry VIII.* appointed him chief of all the Officers attending the Crown. The Duty of his Office, in Relation to the Garter, is, in general, to perform whatever the Sovereign, Prelate, or Chancellor of the Garter shall injoin him, relating to the Order, in which he has many distinct and various Offices, such as Carrying the Rod and Scepter at every Feast of *St. George*, when the Sovereign is present; to notify the Election of such as are new chosen; to attend the Solemnity of their Installations, and take care of placing their Arms over their Seats; to carry the Garter

Garter to Foreign Kings and Princes, for which Service it has been usual to join him in Commission with some Peer of the Realm. Queen *Elizabeth* assigned this Officer a Badge of Gold, to be daily worn by him on his Breast, in a Gold Chain or Ribbond, with the Sovereign's Arms enamell'd, and an Imperial Crown surrounded by the Garter; but Sir *Edward Walker*, when *Garter*, obtained Leave to impale *St. George's* Arms therein with those of the Sovereign.

Usher of the Black Rod.
Sir Charles Dalton Knt.

His Deputy.
Sir William Sanderfon Bart.

This Officer was also constituted by the Founder of the Order. In a Chapter held at *Whitehall*, 13 *Car. 2.* it was ordained, That it should be fixed to one of the Gentlemen Ushers, daily Waiters at Court, the eldest of which always holds this Place, and is called *Gentleman-Usher*, *Daily-Waiter*, and *Black-Rod*. As to his Attendance at Court, 'tis already spoken of. In relation to the Order of the Garter, he is appointed to carry the Rod, at the Feast of *St. George*, and other Solemnities, which he makes use of as an Authority to attach Delinquents, who have offended against the Statutes of the Order, which he frequently does, by touching them therewith. He wears a Gold Badge, embellished with the Ensigns of the Order. He has a House in *Windser-Castle*, and other great Privileges.

HERALD'S OFFICE.

Earl-Marshal, and Hereditary Earl-Marshal of
England.

Thomas Howard Duke of Norfolk.

Deputy Earl-Marshal,
Talbot Telverton Earl of Suffex.

THIS great Officer had anciently several Courts under his Jurisdiction, as the Court of Chivalry, now almost forgotten, and the Court of Honour, now quite laid aside. But he hath still some Pre-eminence in the Court of *Marshal-see*, where he may sit in Judgment against Criminals offending within the Verge of the Court, whence the chief Officer under him, is called *Knight-Marshal*. Under him is also the *Herald's Office*, or College of Arms, the Officers being all subordinate to him. When any Disputes arise concerning Descents, Pedigrees, Escutcheons, &c. his Power is to determine

them. This was incorporated by *Richard III.* and enlarged with many new Privileges by *Philip* and *Mary*, but of late Years his Power and Jurisdiction has been much impaired.

The Office of Earl Marshal is Hereditary, in the most noble Family of *Howard*, and enjoyed by the Duke of *Norfolk*, the principal Branch thereof; though now, for Reasons of State, 'tis acted by Deputation; but it is to be observed, not given out of the Family of *Howard*. As to the Knight-Marshal, he will be seen in the List of his Majesty's Court, where he is placed.

Garter,

*Garter, principal King at Arms, respecting his Duty
in the Herald's Office.*

John Anstis Esq;

Under the Earl-Mar- shal of <i>England</i>, there are three Regulators of Arms, Ceremonies, Pe- digrees, and Descents of Nobility and Gentry, of which he is called the chief, or <i>Principal King at Arms</i>. Anciently the	<i>Kings at Arms</i> were crea- ted by the King with great Ceremony; but now the Earl-Marshal is commissioned to do every Thing of that Kind, by whom this Officer is crea- ted and crowned in a solemn Manner.
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John Anstis Jun. Esq; hath a Reversionary Grant
of this Place.

Clarencieux, King at Arms.

Knox Ward Esq;

So called from the Duke of <i>Clarence</i>, third Son of King <i>Edward III.</i> which Dukedom escheat- ing to King <i>Edw. IV.</i> by the Demise of <i>George</i> Duke of <i>Clarence</i> his Brother; he created this Officer, who properly ap- pertained to that Duke, and therefore named <i>Clarencieux</i>, from the <i>French</i>, or <i>Clarentius</i> in	<i>Latin</i>. His Office is to marshal and dispose the Funerals of all the lower Nobility, as Baronets, Knights, Esquires, and Gentlemen; but his Ju- risdiction is only on the South Side of <i>Trent</i>, and much of his Duty is now laid aside. He is created by Letters Patent, and that with a great deal of Ceremony.
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Norroy, or Northroy, King at Arms.

Peter Le Neve Esq;

So called, in regard that he and <i>Clarencieux</i>	divide <i>England</i> betwixt them, and he hath the same
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same Duties North of *Trent*, as the other hath South. They formerly had Power by Charter to visit noble Families, take Inquisitions *post Mortem*, state their Pedigrees, &c. but this necessary Part of their Office, as well as some others, was curtailed by the Statute of the 12th of *Car. 2.*

H E R A L D S.

These have sometimes been called Dukes at Arms, as appertaining to Dukes. Their Office is to wait at Court, attend publick Solemnities, proclaim War and Peace, and from thence, probably, call'd *Heralds*, from two *German* Words, *Here*, and *Helt*, or *Held*, *i. e.* the Armies Champion, to denounce War, or offer Peace, as the *Feciales* of the *Romans* did. They have their distinct Titles as you see; have Lodging in the College, Salary and Perquisites, especially on Searches in the College Books for Pedigrees, Arms, &c. There is also one Herald extraordinary, (formerly two) who officiates upon Occasion.

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On *Thursday* the 17th of *February*, 1725. His late Majesty King *George I.* was pleased to establish two new *Heralds*, and a *King at Arms*, viz. The Hon. *Grey Longueville*, Esq; *Hanover Herald* and *Glocester*

*Glocester King of Arms, | Brunswick Herald of
and Edmund Sayer Esq; | Arms.*

P U R S U I V A N T S.

There are likewise four Under-Graduates, called *Pursuivants*, who are ready always to execute the Orders of their superior Officers, properly, and more especially in Martial Causes; and therefore are called *Pursuivants at Arms*, to distinguish them from *Pursuivants*, or Messengers, of other Courts. The Service of these and in-

deed of the whole College, lies in marshalling and ordering Coronations, Marriages, Christenings, Funeral, &c. of the Royal Family, and formerly of other great Families, and for other Duties, enough already mentioned. They have their distinct Titles, as are seen annexed, and have Lodgings, &c.

*Pursuivants.
Blue-Mantle.
James Green Gent.
Rouge-Croix.
Richard Grabame Gent.
Rouge-Dragon.
Arthur Shepheard Gent.*

*Portcullis.
Richard Mawson Gent.
Rouge-Rose, or Pursui-
vant Extraordinary.
Mr. John Pomfret.*

Commissioners and Officers of the Customs.

THese Commissioners act by Virtue of a Patent under the Great Seal, being nominated by the Treasury. They have the whole Care of raising the several Branches of the King's Revenues on Goods imported and exported, and of putting the Laws in Execution against illegal Trade. They have a Power of dismissing any of the Officers acting by their Deputation, but cannot appoint any Officers without

a Warrant from the Treasury, empowering them to issue their Deputation. Seven reside in *London*; the rest in *Scotland*.

Sir <i>Walter Tong</i> Bart.	<i>Henry Hale</i> Esq;
Sir <i>John Stanley</i> Bart.	<i>George Drummond</i> Esq;
<i>Thomas Walker</i> Esq;	<i>John Hill</i> Esq;
Sir <i>Charles Peers</i> Knt.	Lord Visc. <i>Middleton</i> .
Sir <i>John Evelyn</i> Bart.	<i>Gwynn Vaughan</i> Esq;
Sir <i>James Campbell</i> Bart.	Secretary.
<i>Humphry Brent</i> Esq;	<i>Charles Carkefs</i> Esq; for
<i>John Campbell</i> Esq;	himself and Clerks,
<i>Brian Fairfax</i> Esq;	Sal. 890 l. per Ann.

It is the Business of these Gentlemen to read all Letters to the Board, receive their Directions thereon, and prepare Answers for the Commissioners signing.

Secretary for the Plantations and <i>Western</i> Ports.	<i>Northern</i> Clerk.
<i>John Manley</i> Esq;	<i>Thomas Brian</i> Esq;
Sal. 250 l. per Ann.	Sal. 80 l. per Ann.

The Solicitor carries on all Prosecutions for the Crown and the Officers, on Breaches of the Laws of the Customs, and gives his Advice and Opinion to the Commissioners in all Matters of Law.

Solicitor.	His Assistant, who has from him and the King,
<i>George Metcalf</i> Esq;	Sal. 200 l. per Ann.
Sal. 500 l. per Ann.	<i>Richard Wyat</i> Esq; for the Coasts of <i>Suffex</i> .

All the Revenues of the Customs in <i>England</i> and <i>Scotland</i> are remitted in his Hands, who pays and accounts for it to the Exchequer weekly.	Receiver General.
	<i>Henry Selwyn</i> Esq;
	Sal. 1000 l. per Ann.

This

This Comptroller is an immediate Checque on the Receiver General, he being privy to all his Receipts and Payments.	Comptroller of the Issues and Payments of the Receiver General. <i>Augustus Schutz Esq;</i> for himself and Clerks, Sal. 580 l. per Ann.
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The Comptroller General receives the Accounts of all Collectors and Accountants to the Crown, under the Direction of the Commissioners of the Customs, whereby he is a Checque on them all; and after stating their Accounts, and requiring proper Vouchers, he passes them thro' the Auditor's Office of the Imprest, and deposits them in the Exchequer.

Comptroller General of the Accounts of the Customs. <i>Robert Parsons Esq;</i> Sal. 1000 l. per Ann.	His Assistant. <i>R. Paul,</i> Sal. 150 l. per Ann. Besides an Allowance for Clerks.
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This Inspector examines all the Vouchers from the Collectors in the Out-Ports, before they are delivered to the Comptroller General, and certifies all Collectors Incidents before they are allowed.	Inspector of the Out-Ports Collectors Accounts. <i>John Jacob, jun. Esq;</i> for himself and Clerks, Sal. 600 l. per Ann.
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He having an Account of all Goods imported and exported from the several Parts of *England*, and from, and to what Country; enters them in a Ledger with their prime Cost, from which he frames an Account, Debtor and Creditor, and by that Means can tell how the Balance of Trade stands with every Country.

Inspector

Inspector General of the
Exports and Imports.

Anthony Balam Esq; for
himself and Clerks,
Sal. 700 *l.* per *Ann.*

His Assistant.

John Oxenford,
Sal. 120 *l.* per *Ann.*

The Register General
keeps an Account of the
Voyages of all Ships tra-
ding to *Great Britain*, and
is a particular Checque
on all Coasting Vessels,
that they do import all
Goods into one Port
they carried from an-
other, and no more.

Register General of all
Ships belonging to
Great Britain.

Robert Pringle Esq; for
himself and three
Clerks,
Sal. 690 *l.* per *Ann.*

The Surveyor General, whatever Duty he did
formerly, does now only examine all Entries, to
see that they be rightly computed.

Surveyor General.

cholas and *Edw. Rumbold,*
during the Lives of *Edw.*

The Earl of *Bradford*
in Trust for *Denton Ni-*

Rumbold and *James Clay-*
ton. Sal. 520 *l.* per *Ann.*

This Officer does the
same for the Out-Ports,
by having the Quarter-
Books sent to him.

Surveyor of the Out-
Ports.

Richard Moreton Esq;
Sal. 366 *l.* 16s. 8d. per *Ann.*

He enters all Writs of
Appraisement, of Goods
prosecuted before they
are proclaimed in the
Exchequer.

Register of Seizures.

Thomas Woodford Esq;
Sal. 200 *l.* per *Ann.*

He

He performs his Office by taking due cognizance of all Prosecutions, that they are duly carried on and not collusively dropped. } Inspector of the Prosecutions.
Thomas Pagett Esq;
 He has for Salary 1 s. per Pound of what is paid into the Exchequer.

Most of the Riding Officers being appointed to prevent the carrying off of Wool; he sees they do their Duties, by making a Survey about twice a Year, and representing their Behaviour to the Commissioners of the Customs. } Surveyor General of the Riding Officers, appointed for the Guard of the Coasts of *Kent* and *Sussex*.
Richard Wyatt Esq;
 Sal. 500 l. per Ann.

Principal Officers serving both in the Inward and Outward Business in the Port of London,

HE is a Comptroller upon all the Collectors in the Port of London. } Comptroller.
Charles Downing Esq;
 Besides Fees, 675 l. per Ann.

They examine the Books of all the Out-Port Collectors, to see that the Duties be rightly computed. } Four Examiners of the Out-Port Book,
 Sal. 400 l. per Ann.

The Surveyor attends the Bench by his Deputy along with the Patent Officers, and is a Checque on the Collectors. } Surveyor.
 Two of the Earl of *Scarborough's* Brothers besides Fees, 300 l. per Ann.

They

They comptrol those Duties only which are distinguished under the Head of Cloth and petty Customs.

Comptrollers of the Cloth and petty Customs both Inwards and Outwards.

John Goodwin and Thomas Cary } Esqs;
 Besides Fees, 200 l. per Ann.

No Allowance can be made for Damages on Tobacco, before they are viewed and examined by this Officer.

Viewer and Examiner of Tobacco both Inwards and Outwards.

Tho. Hudson Esq;
 Sal. 250 l. per Ann.

I N W A R D S.

Collects all the Duties Inwards but the petty Customs.

Collectors.

Henry Hare Esq;
Robert Mann Esq;
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 Sal. 466 l. per Ann.

He enters all Warrants in a Parchment Book, which is return'd into the Exchequer.

Register of Warrants.

Samuel Sturgis Esq;
 Has 2 d. per Warrant.

Collects that Branch of the Revenue distinguished under the Head of petty Customs.

Customer of the petty Customs Inwards.

Stephen Weston Esq;
 Sal. 62 l. 6 s. 8 d. per Ann.

O U T W A R D S.

Collects all the Duties Outwards, but Wool and Leather.

Collectors.

William Duke of Manchester, who hath three Deputies, and five Clerks.
 Besides Fees, 276 l. 13 s. 4 d. per Ann.

Collects

Collects these Duties. { Customer of the great
Duty on Wool and
Leather exported.
Herbert Lewis Esq;
Besides Fees, 50*l.* per
Ann.

This Officer comp- { Comptroller of the great
trols only these particu- Customs on Wool and
lar Duties. Leather, &c.
John Somers,
Besides Fees, 50*l.* per Ann.

Whose Duty it is to take off all Cocquets for Goods
shipp'd outwards, to examine them before shipp'd,
and certify the same on the Back of the Cocquet.

Chief Searcher. { Five other Searchers not
by Patent, each 60*l.*
Sir *William Fowles,* per Ann.
Besides Fees, 120*l.* per
Ann. } Surveyor of the Search-
ers.
Five Under-Searchers. }
Besides Fees, 12*l.* per Ann. } *Richard Burren,*
Sal. 60*l.* per Ann.

By registering all Cer- { Register of the Certifi-
tificate Cocquets, he can cate Cocquets.
examine the Debentures }
which are made out for }
the Goods exported on } *Henry Crispe,*
those Cocquets, and } Sal. 60*l.* per Ann.
thereby see that the Re- }
venue is not defrauded. }

Is a Checque on all the { Warehouse Surveyor.
Officers in the Ware- }
house, to see that Goods } *Samuel Grice,*
be regularly discharged. } Sal. 350*l.* per Ann.
R The

The Warehouse-keeper for the Commissioners, keeps an Accompt along with the Collector's Deputy, to be a Checque on him.

Warehouse-keeper for the Commissioners.

John Redman,
Sal. 60 l. per Ann.

The Collector of every Port being, by Law, Warehouse-keeper, he appoints a Deputy particularly for that Business, who enters in a Book all Goods brought in, and how they are discharg'd.

For the Collector.

George Torriano,
Sal. 60 l. per Ann.

He boards all Ships coming into the River, to see they be navigated according to Law.

Surveyor of the Act of Navigation.

Stephen Scot,
Sal. 100 l. per Ann.

Take Care that the Tide-Surveyors, Tidesmen, and all Water-Officers, do perform their Duties.

Two Inspectors of the River,

Sal. 80 l. per Ann. each.

This Officer having a Power of administering Oaths, has a Fee of 2 d. for every Oath administered at the Bench.

Usher of the Custom-House.

William Taylor,
Sal. 60 l. per Ann.

Whose Offices are to examine all the Land-Waiters Books.

Three Jerquers.
Sal. 80 l. per Ann. each.

Are to see that the Land-Waiters perform their Duties, and to view all Goods before any Allowance can be made for Damage.

Nine Land-Surveyors.
Sal. 200 l. per Ann. each.

Tide-Surveyors are to place Tidefmen on Board Ships, and see they perform their Duties. } Eight Tide-Surveyors.
Sal. 60 *l. per Ann.* each.

Land-Carriage Surveyor is to see that the several Land-Carriage Officers do attend their Stations. } One Land-Carriage Surveyor.
Sal. 80 *l. per Ann.*

Coast-Surveyor is to examine how the Coast-Waiters perform their Duties. } One Coast-Surveyor.
Sal. 60 *l. per Ann.*

Is to see that the Wine-Tasters do their Duties. } Surveyor of the Wine-Tasters.
Sal. 200 *l. per Ann.*

Take an Account of all Goods imported. } Nineteen King's Waiters, besides Fees 52 *l. per Ann.* thirty seven Land-Waiters; thirty one at 80 *l. per Ann.* and six newly added, at 60 *l. per Ann.* besides Fees.

Only keeps a Look-out on the River, to prevent Frauds. } Preventive Officer, 40 *l. per Ann.*

Eighty Tide-Waiters, at 35 *l. per Ann.* } Two Hundred and Fifty odd Preferable Men, formerly called the *Hundred - List*, who have so much a Day when on Service, and are preferr'd when Vacancies fall amongst the Established Men.

One Hundred and Twenty Tidefmen, at 40 *l. per Ann.*

Seven Noon-Tenders, at 15 *l. per Ann.*

*Commissioners and other Officers for Managing
the Excise on Beer, Malt, &c.*

THE Commissioners are by Patent constituted Governors and Managers of his Majesty's Revenues, arising by the Duties of *Excise* on *Beer, Ale, &c. Malt, Candles, Hops, Soap, Leather and Paper, Wire and Starch*. They have a Power of Putting in and Turning out the Officers employed therein. All Offences against the Laws of *Excise* committed in *London*, and within the Bills of Mortality, are heard and determined by them, and they account for all the said Revenues yearly. Their Salaries were formerly 800 *l. per Annum*, but are now 1000 *l.* since adding the *Leather Duty*, and that on *Tea, Coffee, and Chocolate* to this Commission.

Commissioners of *Excise*.

Christopher Montagu,
John Whetbam,
Roger Gale,
Richard Elliot,
George Duckett,
Charles Polhill,
John Fowle,
Thomas Wylde,
James Vernon,

} Esqs;

Salary 1000 *l. per Ann.*
each.

He attends the Commissioners Board, takes Minutes of all Orders, &c.

Secretary.
Samuel Grey Esq; for himself and Clerks, 620 *l. per Ann.*

He

He is constituted by the *Treasury*, under the Commissioners aforesaid, and gives Security for the due Performance in receiving and paying in to the *Exchequer* the Monies arising by the said Revenues.

Cashire.

Stephen Poyntz Esq; for himself, Deputy, Clerks, Under-Tellers and others.

Sal. 2740 *l. per Ann.* and has his Place for Life.

He is in like Manner constituted by Patent, and by his Deputy and Clerks examines all Vouchers relating to the said Revenue.

Comptroller.

Edmund Elwill Esq; for himself, Deputy and Clerks.

Sal. 2020 *l. per Ann.*

He acts likewise by Patent, and his Deputy and Clerks examine the Vouchers, and Accounts of the Collectors of *Excise*, *Malt*, &c. whereby he is a Checque on the Comptroller.

Auditor.

Sir Basil Dixwell Bart. for himself, Deputy, and Clerks,

Sal. 1078 *l. per Ann.*

He is constituted by the *Treasury*, and attends the Commissioners on all Trials, and takes Minutes of them.

Register.

John Blois Esq; Salary 350 *l. per Ann.*

Accountant General of the Duties on *Candles*, *Soap*, *Paper*, *Calicoes*, *Wire* and *Starch*.

Sal. 200 *l. per Ann.*

Isaac Hide Esq;

Accountant for the said Duties on *Candles*.
Mr. *Thomas Wyvill*.

Sal. 90 *l. per Ann.*

General

General Surveyor of the
 Duties on *Candles.* } Sal. 125 l. per Ann.
 Mr. *John Thorn.*

General Surveyor of the
Soap, Paper and Calicoes, Wire and Starch. } Sal. 125 l. per Ann.
 Mr. *William Bell.*

Auditor of the Duty on
Hides. } Sal. 300 l. per Ann.
William Burroughs Esq;

Accountant General of
 the Duties on *Hides,*
wrought Plate, Coffee, } Sal. 200 l. per Ann.
Tea and Chocolate.
Henry Needler Esq;

Inspector General of the
 Duties on *Coffee, Tea* } Sal. 200 l. per Ann.
and Chocolate.
Humphry Thayer Esq;

Register of the Stamps. } Sal. 60 l. per Ann.
 Mr. *Thomas Spinkes.*

Clerk of the Entries. } Sal. 60 l. per Ann.
 Mr. *William Bates.*

General Surveyors of
London Brewery. } Sal. 125 l. per Ann.
 Mr. *John Draper,*
 Mr. *Thomas Davison.*

Surveyors of *London* } 80 l. per Ann.
Brewery twelve, each

Collector of the Duties
 on imported Excise-
 able Liquors at the } Sal. 100 l. per Ann.
 Port of *London.*
 Mr. *Michael Warwick.*

Comptroller

Comptroller of the Cash.

Joseph Pennington Esq; } Sal. 600 l. per Ann.
for himself and Clerks. }

Clerk of the Securities.

Mr. John Lawton. } Sal. 170 l. per Ann.

His Assistants.

Mr. James Chamberlain, }
Mr. John Norman, } 50 l. per Ann.
Mr. Thomas Cowley, each }

Correspondent.

Mr. Samuel Johnson, Sen. } Sal. 220 l. per Ann.

His Assistants.

Mr. Samuel Johnson Jun. } 60 l. per Ann. each.
Mr. John Edgley, }

Accountants General of
the Excise on Malt
and Hops.

Mr. Anthony Cossens, }
Mr. John Tooker, each } 200 l. per Ann.

Their Clerk.

Mr. John Bonvill. } Sal. 100 l. per Ann.

Solicitor for the Affairs
of the Office.

Mr. Chandler, for him- } Sal. 550 l. per Ann.
self and Clerks. }

Commissioners of Appeals.

THEY are constituted by Patent, to hear and determine all Matters that come before them, by Way of Appeal.

<i>Duncomb Drake Esq;</i>		<i>Sir More Molineux Knt.</i>
<i>James Montagu Esq;</i>		<i>John Paul Trouenet Esq;</i>
<i>Humphry Fowle Esq;</i>		Sal. each 200 l. per Ann.

Three

Three-Pence in the Pound is paid for Charity, by all Officers of Excise, Clerks, &c. which are put into their Places by the Commissioners, by which Means about 1500 *l.* is raised every Year; which Money is applied for the Support of old decayed or disabled Officers of Excise, who have served upwards of seven Years.

Commissioners and Principal Officers for the Duty on SALT.

THE Duty on Salt was granted to the Crown in the 9th of *William III.* and was at first only 1 *s.* per Bushel, but is now 4 *s.* The Office was at first managed by the Commissioners of Excise, but the Revenue increasing by a greater Number of Salt-Works erected, it was thought proper to separate them; and the Commissioners and chief Officers imploy'd under them at their Office are such as are inserted. There are likewise imploy'd in this Office two Under-Accountants, with an Assistant-Clerk, a Clerk to the Correspondent, one to the Assistant-Secretary; a House-keeper, Store-keeper, Door-keeper, Messenger, Porters, and two Watchmen; a Collector of Salt at *London*, and a Searcher, at 60 *l.* per *Ann.* each; two Surveyors at 50 *l.* each, and two Boatmen at 30 *l.* each; besides the Establishment in the several Counties, of Collectors, Supervisors, Officers, &c. which is very large.

Commissioners.

Thomas Woodcock,
James Cardonnel,
William Churchill, } Esqs;
Edward Astley,
William Winde,
 500 *l.* per *Ann.* each.

Comptroller.

Edward Weston Esq; for
 himself and Clerks,
 350 *l.* per *Ann.*
 Cashire.
Joseph Windham for him-
 self and Clerks, 430 *l.*

Secretary.	Other Accountants.
<i>Edward Davis Esq;</i> 200 <i>l. per Ann.</i>	<i>Miles Greenwood,</i> <i>Thomas Hugbon,</i> <i>Henry Folket,</i> <i>William Price,</i> 70 <i>l. per Ann. each.</i>
Correspondent Clerk of the Securities.	Surveyors for the Port of London.
<i>Matthew Greenwood, and</i> Assistant Secretary, 130 <i>l. per Ann.</i>	<i>John Amburst,</i> <i>Benjamin Davis,</i> 50 <i>l. per Ann. each.</i>
Solicitor.	Messenger.
<i>William Johnson, 100 l.</i> <i>Ann.</i>	<i>John Bampffield, 40 l. per</i> <i>Annum.</i>
Chief Accountant.	
<i>William Sumpter, 100 l.</i> <i>per Ann.</i>	

*Commissioners and Principal Officers for the
Stamp-Duties.*

THE Duty on Stamp Paper was first granted in the 5th and 6th of *William and Mary*, upon Vellom and Parchment only. In the 9th and 10th of *William III.* the same Stamp-Duties were doubled, with some few Exceptions. In the 10th 12th of *Queen Anne*, an Addition was made, and likewise a Duty on Pamphlets, Books under six Sheets, News-Papers, and on all Advertisements inserted therein; on Cards, Dice, &c. All which the Commissioners have under their Management.

Commissioners.	Receiver General.
<i>Sir Brocas Gardiner Bart.</i>	<i>Will. Thompson Esq; 500 l.</i>
<i>John Schutz,</i> <i>William Hewet,</i> <i>John Turner,</i> <i>John Shorter,</i> } Esqs; Sal. 400 <i>l. per Ann. each.</i>	Comptroller. <i>William Asburst. 300 l.</i>
Secretary.	Accountant General.
<i>Will. Bridges Esq; 300 l.</i>	<i>John Hubbard, 100 l.</i> Solicitor. <i>William Mosebray.</i>

*Commissioners and Principal Officers for
Wine-Licenses.*

IN the 7th of *Edward VI.* all Persons were prohibited selling Wine by Retail, without License from the greatest Part of the Magistracy of any City, Borough or Town, and not above two to be licensed in one Place, except in Cities, and large Towns, on Penalty of 5*l.* In the 12th of *Car. II.* the King is impower'd to appoint Commissioners for Wine-Licenses, but their Salaries are not to amount to above Six-Pence in the Pound of the Revenue arising by the said Act, which Revenue is duly to be paid into the *Exchequer*, and not charged with any Pension, &c. The Privileges of the Universities, and of the Company of Vintners in *London*, were saved by this Act. The 15th of *Car. II.* it was given to the Duke of *Tork* and his Heirs Male, but the 23d of *Car. II.* he had an Equivalent for it out of the Excise.

Commissioners.

Daniel Dering,
Rich. Plumpton,
John Joliffe,
Gilbert East,
Joseph Ferrers, } Esqs;

Comptroller.

Thomas Hancock,
Sal. 300*l.* per *Ann.*

Secretary.

Pet. Charron, 130*l.* per *Ann.*

Cashire.

Tho. Granger, 80*l.* per *Ann.*

Solicitor.

Richard Nicholls, no Sal.

Clerk of the Contracts.
Amos Callard, 50*l.* per *Ann.*

Clerk of the Bonds and
Licenses.

John Butler, 40*l.* per *Ann.*

A Messenger and four
Supernumeraries, 20*l.*
per *Ann.*

Office-keeper.

Nobn Astell, 20*l.* per *Ann.*
Commis-

*Commissioners for Licensing Hackney Chairs
and Coaches.*

HAVE under their Management the Duty arising by Hackney Chairs and Coaches; as also to direct the Goodness of the Coach and Horses; to appoint their several Fares and Rates, and Places of Plying, and other By-Laws respecting Chairs and Coaches; to summon Persons before them, inflict Penalties, &c.

Commissioners.		Surveyor.
<i>John Wey,</i>	} Esqs;	<i>Mr. James Cook,</i> 40 <i>l.</i>
<i>John Id'e,</i>		<i>per Ann.</i>
<i>Nicholas Philpot,</i>		Solicitor.
<i>Francis Capper,</i>		<i>Mr. John Pye.</i>
<i>Tho. Sutton, jun.</i>		Secretary.
100 <i>l.</i> per <i>Ann.</i> each.		<i>William Walthoe.</i>
Receiver.		House-keeper and Surveyor.
<i>Mr. John Walkworth.</i>		<i>Mr. James Cooke.</i>
62 <i>l.</i> per <i>Ann.</i>		
Register.		
<i>Charles Bolton,</i> 50 <i>l.</i> per <i>Ann.</i>		

Commissioners of Hawkers and Pedlars.

THE Duty for Licensing Hawkers, Pedlars, and Petty Chapmen, was first given in the 9th and 10th of King *William*, 1697, to pay the Transport Service for the Reduction of *Ireland*, this Sum then amounted to 330769*l.* 10*s.* 7*d.* and this Sum to be yearly raised, hereby was 6000*l.* Neat in the following Manner, *viz.* Every Hawker travelling on Foot to pay 4*l.* per *Ann.* and with Horse, Ass or Mule, 8*l.* per *Ann.* And every Hawker ought to certify in what Manner they will trade, and to pay half of the Duty down,

and give Bond for the other at six Months End, and two Shillings *per* Pound allowed for prompt Payment.

2. The Penalty of Hawking without License, is 12 *l.* one Half to the Informer, and the other to the Parish Poor where such Discovery shall be made. If any one so trading, shall, on Demand made, refuse to shew his License to a Justice of Peace, Constable, &c. he shall forfeit 5 *l.* to the Churchwarden of the Parish, where such Demand is made, for the Poores Use. Persons forging a License, or travelling with such, shall forfeit 50 *l.* one Half to the King, and the other to the Prosecutor. If any Constable, &c. shall refuse to assist in the Execution of this Act, he shall forfeit 40 *l.* one Half to the Informer, and the other to the Poor.

3. Any Person may seize and detain such Hawker for the Production of his License, 'till he can notify the same to a Constable, &c. the Penalty to be levy'd on a Hawker, &c. by a Justice of Peace's Warrant, shall be by Distress of Goods, and the Overplus returned after Charges deducted. This Act does not forbid the selling of News-Papers, Acts of Parliaments, Forms of Prayer, Licensed Almanacks, or other Licensed printed Books; or Fish, Fruits, or Victuals; nor does it hinder Persons that are the real Workers of any Goods within the Realm of *England*, Dominion of *Wales*, or *Berwick upon Tweed*, or their Children, Apprentices, or Agents, from selling such Goods, nor any Cooper, Glazier, Plummer, Tinker, or others mending Kettles, Tubs, Household Goods, &c.

4. This Duty is increased 4000 *l.* since the King's Accession, by the Care of the present Commissioners, and is become one of the Funds for the Payment of the *South-Sea* Debt; and continued by the 5th of Queen *Anne* for 96 Years, and then for one Year longer.

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5. The first Act was made on the Complaint of many Thousand Shop-keepers, that pay Rent and Parish Dues for Houses, and were by this Method of Hawking discouraged in their Business, and to prevent Vagrants and wandering Persons under Colour of Hawking.

Commissioners.

Benjamin Coad, }
Thomas Wyvell, } Esqs;
William Luke, }
 Sal. 100 *l.* per *Ann.* each.
 Cashire.
Tho. Jett, 90 *l.* per *Ann.*
 Solicitor.
Charles Townsend Esq;
 50 *l.* per *Ann.*

Two Clerks.

50 *l.* per *Ann.* each.
 Seven Riding Officers.
 100 *l.* per *Ann.* each.
 Three Town Surveyors.
 50 *l.* per *Ann.* each.
 A Messenger.
 30 *l.* per *Ann.*

Commissioners for executing the Office of
Post-Master General.

THE first Law that introduc'd this great Convenience, was made 12 *Car.* II. which enables the King to settle a *Post-Office*, and appoint a Governor; which is now managed by two Persons who have the sole Management of the Duty arising by Postage, and have under them about seventy Officers, who are all in their Gift, and are sworn, and give Security for the faithful Discharge of their Duties. Besides those here named, there are six Clerks in the Foreign Office, who have 50 *l.* a Year Salary; and a Foreign Officer, who has 40 *l.* For the Inland Office, there are six Clerks of the Road, the first has 100 *l.* a Year, and the other five 60 *l.* a Year Salary, as have also the Clerks of the By-Nights. They have each also an Assistant-Clerk at 60, and some 50 *l.* a Year, with two Window-Men at 60 *l.* and 50 *l.* per *Ann.* There are twelve
 Sorters,

Sorters, ten of which have 50 *l.* and two 40 *l.* a Year; Sixty-seven Letter Carriers at 11 *s.* a Week, and four Porters. The Sorters are employ'd in sorting the Letters for the proper Roads, which fall under the Direction of the Clerks of the Road, for further Dispatch. The Accountant General keeps an Account of all Money from the Clerks Books. The Alphabet-keeper in the Foreign Office, is the same which in the other Office is called Window-Man; that is, he gives out such Letters as are desired to be kept in the Office 'till called for, and not sent by the Letter Carriers. The Person, called the Foreign Officer, is appointed for the Dispatch of Letters which are to go into the Inland Office for farther Conveyance. The Solicitor takes Securities for the faithful Discharge of Officers Duties, and prosecutes the same, if forfeited; as also to sue such as are in Arrears at the Post-Houses in the Country, when they do not make proper Payment. In the 9th of Queen *Anne* (when the Kingdoms were united) an additional Duty was laid, and the Post-Master was enabled to keep a Post in *Edinburgh*, and appoint Deputies. This Office of Post-Master the King may grant for Life, or Twenty-one Years. By the Penny-Post, all Letters and Parcels not exceeding sixteen Ounces, are daily and hourly conveyed.

Commissioners.

Edward Carteret, } Esqs;
Edward Harrison, }
 Sal. 2000 *l.* per *Ann.* each.

Secretary.

Joseph Godman Esq;
 200 *l.* per *Ann.*

Receiver General.

Denzil Onslow Esq;
 300 *l.* per *Ann.*

Accountant.

Thomas Horne sen. Esq;
 300 *l.* per *Ann.*

Deputy Accountant.

Mr. Thomas Horne jun.
 90 *l.* per *Ann.*

Comptroller of the Inland Office.

Joseph Bell Esq;
 200 *l.* per *Ann.*

Deputy.

Deputy.
Mr. *William Green.*

100 l. per Ann.

Comptroller of the Foreign Office.

Ashburnham Frowde Esq;

150 l. per Ann.

Alphabet-keeper.

Mr. *Gawen Nash,*

100 l. per Ann.

Solicitor.

Mr. *Thomas Robinson,*

200 l. per Ann.

Officers of the Penny-Post.

Comptroller.

Richard Franklin Esq;

200 l. per Ann.

Accountant.

Mr. *Robert Cruttenden,*

70 l. per Ann.

Collector.

Edward Parsons Esq;

70 l. per Ann.

Commissioners of Trade and Plantations.

THE Board of Trade and Plantations was first establish'd by King *William* of Glorious Memory, in the 8th Year of his Reign, in pursuance of a Scheme laid and prosecuted by two very great Men in their several Ways, Mr. *Lock*, and Mr. *Penn*, commonly called Sir *William Penn*. The Commissioners for managing the Office are Extraordinary, and Ordinary: The former are the great Officers of the Kingdom, such as the Lord Chancellor, or Lord Keeper; the Lord President of the Council; Lord Keeper of the Privy Seal; First Commissioner of the Treasury, or Lord High Treasurer; First Commissioner of the Admiralty, or Lord High Admiral; the two Secretaries of State, and Chancellor of the Exchequer. These are called Extraordinary Commissioners, because they have a Clerk to sit at the Board, and do so upon extraordinary Occasions, but have no Salaries as Commissioners of Trade. The Ordinary Commissioners are eight in Number, and all Members of the House of Commons, excepting one, who is always a Lord, and is generally called

led Head of the Board. Their Salaries are 1000*l.* a-piece *per Ann.*

The Charges of Postage of Letters from the Plantations, and writing Implements, as also for Clerks, Messengers and Door-keepers, are paid by the *Treasury*. The Business of this Board is to inquire into the State of the Trade of *England* at Home and Abroad; to consider how the Manufactures already settled may be improv'd, and how new and profitable ones may be introduced; to provide for the Employment of the Poor, and to revive the Fishery. But it is to be observed, that altho' these Things are committed to their Care in their Commission, yet they seldom fall under their Cognizance; their Lordships imploying themselves wholly in the Affairs of the Plantations. They meet every Day in the Week, except on *Saturdays, Sundays* and *Mondays*. They revise all the Laws passed by the Assembly in the Plantations, and after Examination of them, (and taking formerly, or by the Advice of his Majesty's Attorney, or Solicitor General, but now of Mr. *Fane*, one of his Majesty's Council at Law, appointed for that Purpose) make their Report to his Majesty, and accordingly they are allowed or disallowed. It is their Office also to prepare the Commissions and Instructions of all Governors, Deputy Governors, and Secretaries going Abroad; and it is likewise committed to them to look out for proper Persons to fill these several Offices, and to recommend them to His Majesty. But it must be remarked, that they never do interfere in these Matters upon any Occasion whatever. No Matters of Controversy come originally, or judicially before them, but they are first referr'd, and then they do but report their Opinion. Upon which His Majesty proceeds as he thinks fit.

Commissioners.
 Right Honourable *Thomas* Earl of *Westmorland*
Paul Docminique,
Thomas Pelham, } Esqs;
Martin Bladen,
Edward Ashe,
 Sir *Orl. Bridgman* Bart.
Walter Carey Esq;
 Sir *Tho. Frankland* Bart.
 Sal.

Secretary.
Alured Popple Esq;
 Sal. 500 *l.* per *Ann.*

Deputy Secretary.
Bryan Wheelock Esq;
 Sal. 100 *l.* per *Ann.*

Chief Clerk.
 Mr. *Samuel Gillebrand.*
 Sal. 80 *l.* per *Ann.*

Auditor of the Trade and
 Plantation Accounts.
Horatio Walpole Esq;
 Sal. 500 *l.* per *Ann.*

Counsellor for the Af-
 fairs of the Board.
Francis Fane Esq;
 Sal. 500 *l.* per *Ann.*

There are besides a pret-
 ty many Clerks, from
 70 *l.* to 40 *l.* per *Ann.*
 who are more or less,
 as the Board thinks fit.

THE SEVERAL

Law-Courts of *Great Britain.*

Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain.

IN former Times, the Offices of Lord Chancellor,
 and Keeper of the *Great Seal*, were distinct, but
 now they are the same Thing, by another Name,
 as late Instances have shewn us. He is constantly
 Speaker of the House of Lords, and his Grandeur
 is such, that he has four Places in the House of
 Lords; one behind the King of *Scots* Chair, the
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second next the Dukes of the Blood, the Third on the first Wool-pack, and the Fourth at the Table. Of 72 Officers under him, 'tis observable, that 44 of them have Employment in Parliamentary Affairs, either upon its summoning, or during its sitting; and his Warrant is the second *Fiat* that gives Birth or Dissolution to a Parliament. In fine, it is the highest Office in *England* that any Layman is capable of, and he is, under the King, Chief of all Magistrates. He is likewise sole Judge of the Court of *Chancery*, or *Equity*, wherein he is empower'd to moderate the extreme Rigour of the Law, which the other Judges are bound to. The Proceedings of this Court are, for the most Part, like those of the Civil Law, by Bill or Plaint, Witnesses examined in private; the Decrees in *English* or *Latin*, not in *French*, and without Jury, by Decree of the Lord Chancellor. From this High Court are likewise issued out Commissions for Charitable Uses throughout *England*, or to inquire into any Abuses or Misemployments of Money or Lands given to Charitable Uses, or Publick Benefits; including the Education of Orphans, the Relief of Prisoners or Captives, or the like. The Lord Chancellor hath the Gift of all the Ecclesiastical Benefices in the Breast of the Crown, under 20 *l.* a Year in the King's Books.

The High Court of Chancery.

All Patents, Warrants, Commissions from the King, are perused by him before they are signed. He is Conserver and Guardian

to all Infants, with a Multiplicity of other Business, not essential to this Work, and too long for this small Treatise. Though the Salary is only 2100 *l.* yet it is computed worth 7000 *l.* per Ann.

*Peter Lord King Baron
of Ockham.*

Purse-bearer.
Honourable Mr. *King.*

Sal. 2100 l. per Ann.

Serjeant at Arms.
Francis Jephson Esq;

*Master of the Rolls, Masters in Chancery,
and Six Clerks.*

* **T**HE Master of the Rolls hath this Office by Patent, which is for Life. In the Absence of the Lord Chancellor, or Keeper, he sits as Judge in the Court of *Chancery*, and by Sir *Edward Coke*, is called his Assistant. At other Times he hears Causes in the Rolls Chapel; he is also the First of the Masters in *Chancery*, and hath their Assistance at the Rolls; but all Hearings before him are Appealable to the Lord Chancellor. He hath also his Writ of Summons to Parliament, and sits next to the Lord Chief Justice of *England*, on the second Wool-pack. He hath the keeping of the Parliament Rolls, and all the *Rolls House* for his Habitation, as also the Custody of all Charters, Patents, Commissions, Deeds, Recognizances, which being made up of Rolls of Parchment, gave Rise to the Name. In his Gift are the Six Clerks in *Chancery*, the Examiners, three Clerks of the *Petty-Bag*, and the six Clerks of the *Rolls Chapel*, where the Rolls are kept.

* Master of the Rolls.
Sir Joseph Jekyl Knt.

The other Masters in *Chancery* are usually chosen out of the Barristers of the Common Law, and sit in *Chancery*, or at the *Rolls*, as Assistant to the Lord Chancellor, and Master of the *Rolls*, during Term-time. To them is also committed Interlocutory Reports, stating Accounts, taxing Costs, &c.

and some Time, by Way of Reference, they are impowered to make a final Determination of Causes. They have, Time out of Mind, had the Honour to sit in the Lords House, though they have neither Writs or Patent to impower them, but as Assistants to the Lord Chancellor, and Master of the Rolls. They had anciently the Care of inspecting all Writs of Summons, which is now performed by the Clerk of the *Petty-Bag*. When any Message is sent from the Lords to the Commons, it is carried by the Masters in *Chancery*. Before them Affidavits are made, Deeds and Recognizances acknowledg'd.

The Masters in <i>Chancery</i> .	<i>Francis Elde</i> Esq;
	<i>Mark Thurston</i> Esq;
Sir <i>Joseph Jekyl</i> Knt.	<i>Francis Cudworth Mash-</i>
<i>Robert Holford</i> Esq;	<i>am</i> Esq;
<i>John Bennet</i> Esq;	<i>Samuel Burroughs</i> Esq;
<i>James Lightboun</i> Esq;	<i>Anthony Allen</i> Esq;
<i>William Kynaston</i> Esq;	<i>John Totbill</i> Esq;
<i>Thomas Bennet</i> Esq;	

The Office of Clerk of the Crown in *Chancery* is of very great Importance. He is, either by himself, or Deputy, constantly to attend the Lord Chancellor, or Lord Keeper, upon special Matters of State, and hath a Place in the House of Lords. He makes out all Writs for Elections of Members to serve in Parliament, upon a Warrant directed to him, on the Death, or other Removal of any Member. Likewise all Commissioners of Oyer and Terminer, Gaol-Delivery, Commissioners of Peace, with many other Commissions that are to pass the *Great Seal*, and may be executed by a Deputy. All Parliament Writs, which are sent from the *Petty-Bag*, are returned and kept by the Clerk of the Crown, so that the *Petty-Bag* gives, as it were, the Beginning; this the Continuance and Ending
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to a Parliament; by which the Clerk of the Crown acts in three Capacities. Before the Sitting of a Parliament, to receive Returns of Writs; in Parliament, for the Issuing of Writs; and in the Lords House, he reads the Titles of all Bills to be presented to the Sovereign.

Joint - Clerks of the Crown in <i>Chancery</i> .	}	Sal. 250 l.
<i>Stephen Bisse</i> Esq;		
<i>Thomas Bray</i> Esq;		

The Six Clerks are Officers of great Account, next in Degree to the Twelve Masters in *Chancery*; their Duty is to inrol Commissions, Pardons, Patents, Warrants, &c. which pass the *Great Seal*. They are also Attornies for Parties depending in the Court of *Chancery*; under them were sixty, now ninety Clerks, who with the Under-Clerks dispatch the Business of the Office.

Six Clerks in <i>Chancery</i> .		<i>John Collins</i> Esq;
		<i>William Smith</i> Esq;
<i>Sydenham Malthus</i> Esq;		<i>John Hall</i> Esq;
<i>William Brydges</i> Esq;		<i>Francis Hill</i> Esq;

The Business of the Prothonotary is chiefly to expedite Commissions for Embassies, which is executed by a Deputy.	}	Prothonotary.
		<i>J. Gostelow Snow</i> Esq;

The Clerk of the Hamper, sometime stil'd Warden of the Hamper, receives all Money due to the King, for Seals of Charters, Patents, Commissions and Writs; and attends the Keeper of the Seal daily in Term-time, and all Times of Sealing, and takes into his Custody all seal'd Charters, Patents, and the like, which he receives into Bags; but anciently,

ciently, it is supposed, into Hampers, which gave Denomination to the Office. There is also an Officer who is Comptroller of the Hamper.

Clerk of the Hamper, or	}	His Deputy.
Hanaper.		
Right Hon. George Lord		
Marquess of Carnarvon.		

The Warden of the *Fleet*, or Keeper of the *Fleet* Prison, has the Charge of the Prisoners there, more especially those sent from the Court of *Chancery*, for Contempts, &c.

Warden of the <i>Fleet</i> .	}	His Deputy.
Thomas Bambridge Esq;	}	Mr. Thomas Gibbon.

The Business of the Ex-	}	Two Examiners in <i>Chan-</i>
aminers is to examine		
Witnesses upon Oath, on		
both Sides of any Suit		

depending in *Chancery*.

Curfitors Office is to make out original Writs; they are Twenty-four in Number, whereof each hath certain Counties and Cities allotted him, for making out such Writs as are required. They are also a Corporation by themselves, and execute these Offices in Person, or by their Deputies, and have a Hall in *Chancery-Lane*, over against *Lincolns-Inn*; and their Office is over the Hall; except the four *Curfitors* for *London*, whose Office is kept in *Symonds-Inn*.

Curfitors Office in *Chancery* for the several Counties of *England*.

To the *Alienation Office* are brought all Writs of Covenants and Entry, whereupon Fines are levied, and Recoveries suffered, to have Fines for *Alienation* set and paid thereon.

<i>Alienation Office.</i>	Receiver.
Commissioners.	<i>William Jessop Esq;</i>
Sir <i>Wm. Ashburnham</i> Bar.	40 l. each Term.
<i>William Jessop</i> Esq;	Clerk of the Endorsements.
<i>Cornelius Cayley</i> Esq;	Mr. <i>Theophilus Newcomen,</i>
Sal. 40 l. each Term.	5 l. each Term.
Master in Chancery.	Clerk of Entries.
- - - - -	<i>Thomas Webb</i> Esq;
20 l. each Term.	5 l. each Term.

The Clerks of the *Petty-Bag* are under the Master of the Rolls, whose Business it is to make all Patents for Customers, Comptrollers, all *Congé d'Esquire's*, first Summons of Nobility, Clergy, Knights, Citizens and Burgeses to Parliament.

Clerks of the <i>Petty-Bag.</i>	<i>Edward Bulstrode</i> Esq;
- - - - -	<i>James Swinborne</i> Esq;

The *Subpœna* Office issues all Writs to summon Persons to appear in *Chancery*.

Patentees of the <i>Subpœna</i>	<i>Thomas Head</i> Gent.
Office.	<i>John Bell</i> Gent.
<i>Pauncefort Green</i> Gent.	Mr. <i>Abr. Hancock</i> Deputy.

The *Registers Office* is a Place of great Importance, who hath several Deputy Registers under him, who sit in Court by Turns, and take Notice of all Decrees and Orders made in Court; and also file Reports of the Masters: They draw up the said Orders, and after enter and sign them.

Registers

Registers Office.

Principal Registers.

Charles Duke of St. Albans.

Francis Earl of Godolphin.

Deputy Registers.

Edward Goldsborough Esq;

Richard Price Esq;

For the Rolls.

Thomas Parnel Esq;

Thomas Aldridge Esq;

The Clerk of the Patents ingrosses all Grants of Offices, &c.

Clerk of the Patents in *Chancery.*

Charles Cocks Esq;

For filing all Affidavits in the Court of *Chancery.*

Master of the *Affidavit*
Office.

John Pointer Esq;

His Deputy.

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Secretary of the Petitions in *Chancery*, and first Secretary to the Lord Chancellor.

Thomas Woodford Esq;

Secretary to the Commissions for *Lunacy* and *Idiocy.*

Walter Edwards Esq;

Secretary of the Presentations, or Livings, in the Lord Chancellor's Gift.

Thomas Spicer Esq;

Secretary of the *Dedimus*, &c.

Secretary of the Briefs for Fines.

John Hicks Esq;

Secretary to the Commissions of Peace.

Thomas Martin Esq;

Secretary of the Appeals.

Thomas Parker Esq;

Secretary of the Injunctions and Decrees obtained in the Court of *Chancery.*

Henry Bendysb Esq;

Clerk of the Presentations.

Thomas Spicer Esq;

Clerk

Clerk of the Crown Leafes.	Sealer of the Great Seal.
<i>William Oaker Gent.</i>	<i>Edward Dupper Esq;</i>
Clerk of the Faculties and Dispensations granted for holding Pluralities of Livings.	Chaffwax.
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- - - - -	Messenger of the Great Seal.
Usher of the Court.	
<i>Joseph Haynes Esq;</i>	<i>Robert Briscoe Gent.</i>

*Commissioners nominated and impower'd by the
Lord Chancellor, for putting the Laws in
Force against Bankrupts, in the following
Lists, one of which Lists is the Number im-
ploy'd on any particular Statute.*

R oger Coningesby Esq;	<i>William Freeman Esq;</i>
<i>John Howe Esq;</i>	<i>James Burroughs Esq;</i>
<i>James Sheppard Esq;</i>	<i>William Wilkin Esq;</i>
<i>Henry Harper Gent.</i>	<i>John Mason Esq;</i>
<i>Thomas Ford jun. Gent.</i>	<i>William Luke Gent.</i>
<i>Lewis Way Esq;</i>	<i>Henry Marten Esq;</i>
<i>William East Esq;</i>	<i>Thomas Parker Esq;</i>
<i>Thomas Lane Esq;</i>	<i>William Triggs Esq;</i>
<i>William Bickford Esq;</i>	<i>Charles Lechmere Gent.</i>
<i>Robert Allen Gent.</i>	<i>William Oaker Gent.</i>
<i>John Webber Esq;</i>	<i>Edmund Sawyer Esq;</i>
<i>John Nicoll Esq;</i>	<i>John Roberts Esq;</i>
<i>Thomas Clendon Gent.</i>	<i>Joseph Mason Gent.</i>
<i>Miles Man Gent.</i>	<i>Henry Bendysh Gent.</i>
<i>John Way Gent.</i>	<i>William Tullie Gent.</i>

Charles Bere Esq;
John Derbyshire Birk-
head Esq;
Amos Callard Gent.
Joseph Stanwin Gent.
Richard Davies Gent.

Thomas Vaudrey Esq;
John Tate Esq;
Joseph Whitehead Esq;
William Shaw Gent.
Jabez Collier Gent.

Clinton Dowse Esq;
William Folks Esq;
Benjamin Whiten Gent.
Thomas Parker Gent.
Henry Barnes Gent.

Davies Davenport Esq;
Francis Capper Esq;
John Felton Esq;
John Butler Gent.
Thomas Hutches Gent.

Matthew Kenrick Esq;
Romney Diggle Esq;
George Wentworth Gent.
John Grubb Gent.
Fermingham Chevely Gent.

William Coleman Esq;
Michael Lebeup Esq;
Everard Goodman Gent.
Edward Glasse Gent.
Charles Bateman Gent.

Isaac Ewer Esq;
Elfred Staples Esq;
John Savile Esq;
James Mead Gent.
Richard Arnold Gent.

Charles Moore Esq;
Robert Fransham Gent.
Nicholas Merwin Gent.
Joseph Haynes Gent.

Bartholomew Shower Esq;
Edward Green Esq;
William Midford Gent.
Benj. Robins jun. Gent.
Thomas Bedford Gent.

Nathaniel Gundry Esq;
Bartholomew Jeffery Esq;
John Willes Esq;
Samuel Baldwin Gent.
John Bonville Gent.

Secretary to the Com-
 missions of Bankrupts.
Vigerus Edwards Esq;

Patentee for making out
 Commissions of Bank-
 ruptcy.
Orlando Bridgman Esq;

His Deputy.
Samuel Hetherington Esq;

Clerk.
Thomas Storey Gent.

Court of King's Bench, why so called.

THIS Court is the *King's Bench*, because it is the supreme Court at Law, and the King is supposed to sit in Person as Judge of the Court, and may so whenever he pleases; and therefore all Writs and other Process in this Court, are made returnable, *Cor' Nobis*, that is before the King Himself, and not *Coram Jusficiariis nostris*, as the Form is in the *Common Pleas*. The Judges of this Court are, the Chief Justice, and three other Judges.

Jurisdiction of this Court.

In this Court are determined, principally, Matters relating to the Crown, and the Peace; where any Person is aggrieved by any Order of Justices or Quarter-Sessions; and the Right of electing Mayors, Bailiffs, Constables, &c. are often upon *Mandamus's* brought before this Court to be settled; and Prohibitions are from hence issued out to stay Proceedings in the Ecclesiastical, Admiralty, or any inferior Court, where the Matters appear to be triable at Common Law.

Subjects Right to sue in this Court.

The Subjects has also a Right to sue any Person in this Court, for any Debt or Contract, as well as in any other Court, and may as advantageously and expeditiously proceed.

Chief Justice, Sir Robert Raymond Knt. Sal.
2000 l. per Ann.

The Chief Justice of *England* is constituted by Writ, and is to hold, *Quam diu se bene gesserit*; but the Chief Justice, and the other inferior Judges, have been formerly made only, *Durante beneplacito*.

Difference between Quam diu se bene gesserit and durante beneplacito.

The being made *Quam diu se bene gesserit*, establishes the Judge, so as that he cannot be removed, but upon some great Misdemeanor in his Office ; whereas, he that held only *Durante beneplacito*, was subject to be displaced at any Time during the King's Pleasure.

Chief Justice's Salary.

The Salary used to be but 1500 *l. per Ann.* but since his late Majesty's Accession to the Crown, the Chief Justice's Salary is augmented to 500 *l. a Term* : And although by common Report, he must sit one Day in a *Term* in Court, or will not be intitled to his *Termage* ; this is a vulgar Error ; for unless it appears he voluntarily assents so, as upon a *Scire facias*, to be charged with Negligence, he will be intitled to it.

Chief Justice's Authority and Office.

He is generally one of the Privy Council to His Majesty ; and, as Chief Justice of *England*, can issue his Warrant to any Part thereof, for the Apprehending any Person ; and where any Person is indicted at the *Quarter-Sessions*, and absconds out of the County where such Indictment is laid, upon producing a Copy of such Indictment, signed by the Clerk of the Peace, the Chief Justice will grant his Warrant for apprehending him, where-ever he can be found. He goes the Circuits as other Judges do, but tries Causes in *London* and *Middlesex* on certain Days in the Afternoon in *Term-Time*, as he is pleased to appoint, and on Mornings and in the Afternoons after *Term* ; but can try Causes only on eight Days after *Term* in *Middlesex*. He presides under His Majesty in this Court ; but when
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the Court divides in giving Judgment upon any special Argument, he hath but one Voice ; so that if the Opinion of the Court should be equally divided, the Matter must rest 'till one of the Judges shall see just Reason to alter his Opinion. He is to attend the Parliament, but has no Vote, unless he be a Peer himself, but is to give his Opinion and Advice to the House, by Virtue of a Writ of Assistance, and is frequently therefore consulted by them both in the making and repealing any Laws, or in altering or explaining them. He makes a Return of all *Writs of Error* in Parliament directed to this Court, and with his own Hand delivers the *Writ of Error*, and a Transcript of the Proceedings in the Cause into the House of Lords. He is generally in the Commission of *Oyer and Terminer*, for Trial of Criminals at *Justice Hall* in the *Old Baily*, and in Commission of Delegates ; and most Cases of criminal Matters, civil Action, *Habeas Corpus*, Pleas of the Crown, &c. come under his Cognizance and Jurisdiction. And he (or the Chief Justice of the *Common Pleas*) is appointed Speaker of the House of Lords *pro tempore*, in the Absence of the Lord Chancellor, or Keeper of the *Great Seal*.

The three inferior Judges of this Court, as well as others, go the Circuits, and are in Commission of *Oyer and Terminer* at the *Old Baily* ; and their Salary is for each 375 *l.* a *Term*, and they are also severally intituled to their *Termage*, altho' they happen not to sit one Day in Court in the *Term*, unless voluntarily assenting, as before ; and these Judges hold by *Quam diu se bene gesserit*, as well as the Chief Justice.

Other Judges.
 Sir Francis Page Knt.
 Sir James Reynolds Knt.

Sir Edmund Probyn Knt.
 Sal. 1500 *l.* per *Ann.* each.

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Officers.

There are several Officers belonging to this Court, whose Busineses are very different, and some of them of much greater Value than others; and as their several Incomes arise from Salaries and several Fees, it cannot be expected we should give a particular Account thereof, and therefore we shall only give an Account of the proper Business peculiar to each.

Prothonotary or Chief Clerk, Edward Ventris Esq;

The two Chief Clerks, or Prothonotaries, are *Rowland Holt*, (who is lately dead) and *Edward Ventris Esq;* these are supposed to enter all the Pleadings and Judgments between Party and Party, altho' this Business is done by an entering Clerk under them, of whom we shall hereafter give a more particular Account; and all Writs of *Latitat*, *Non Omittas*, Bills of *Middlesex*, *Habeas Corpus*, &c. are subscribed with the Names of these Chief Clerks, viz. *Holt* and *Ventris*, but now *Ventris* only.

Secondary, Samuel Clerk Esq; Sal. 200 l.

The Secondary acts as the Master of the Office on the Pleas-Side, and is the Chief Clerk's Deputy; and his Office is to examine any Person who is to be sworn an entering Clerk, or Attorney at large, whether he is duly qualified, and present him to the Chief Justice, and he administers the proper Oath to him before the Chief Justice, and signs all Notes for Rules to plead before Rules are given; and also signs all Judgments, and gives Costs upon them; and the Court upon any Motion in relation to the irregular Practice of any Clerk or Attorney generally refers the Examination thereof to the Secondary, who (after having examined the same) makes his Report to the Court; many other Matters are referred

referred by the Court to his Examination. He also takes all Affidavits in Courts, (unless on the Crown-Side) and takes the Acknowledgment of all Deeds in Court; and in *Term-Time* sits in Court under the Chief Justice at *Westminster* on Mornings, and attends in the Afternoons at his Office in the *King's Bench* Office in the *Inner Temple*.

Nisi Prius Office.

This Office is in *Grays Inn*, and is acted by the Deputy, who is supposed to make up all Records of *Nisi prius*, as well for trying Causes in *London* and *Middlesex*, as at the Assizes in this Court, throughout the Kingdom; but the entering Clerks do this, and he only examines and seals them: And the Clerk of the *Nisi prius* is the *Custos Brevium* for filing all judicial and original Writs, after the Sheriffs have returned them, and is chargeable if any be imbeziled or lost from the File. This Office sitting, the Court in Term-time, is kept in the *Treasury*, for the *King's Bench* at *Westminster*; and the Keys of the *Upper Treasury* is also kept in Mr. *Tully's* Custody, who hath several Clerks under him, and two Officers call'd Bag-bearers, who carry the Rolls, as call'd for, into Court, and take them from thence, and also seal the Records. The Rolls call'd the *Imparance Roll*, is also kept in this Office; which is, when any Lord, or Member, or other Person, is sued by Original, he, by his entering Clerk, or Attorney, prays Time to appear, and the Deputy enters the *Imparance* on a Roll, and gives, according to the Custom of the Court, Time for him to imparle to the next Return-Day.

Master. - - - - - <i>Thomas Goodall Esq;</i>	Clerk of the Treasury. <i>John Parker.</i> Deputy. <i>William Tully Esq;</i> Clerks
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Clerks of the Papers.

There are two *Clerks of the Papers*, whose Business arises from the first Letter of the Defendant's Name, as the senior Clerk takes the Name of the Person that begins with an *A*, the other takes the Person's that begins with *B*, and so alternatively thro' the Alphabet; and their Office is, to make up all special Pleadings and Demurrers in Paper, and set the same, when they are prepared for Agreement, in a Paper for that Purpose, which is given to each of the Judges, and principal Council at the Bar. They read all Rules that are made, and Affidavits, (except in Causes on the Crown-Side) and attend at *Westminster* in Court in Term-time for that Purpose; and they give Rules in the Margin of the Paper Book, for the Defendant's Attorney to return the same in four Days after Receipt of it; or in Default, Judgment may be sign'd against the Defendant.

Clerks of the Papers, { Mr. *Edward Benton*.
 { Mr. *Robert New*.

The *Philizers* make out all Procces upon Originals, (which are made out by the *Cursitors*, such as *Capias's*, *Alias's*, & *Plures*, &c. and the original Writs are brought to them after returned by the Sheriff, as well for their Warrants in suing out such *Capias*, &c. on them, as for them to file with the *Custos Brevium*. And here it is to be noted, that the Subject cannot bring any Action in this Court by Original, in Debt, but must proceed by Bill, and where any Action is brought in this Court by Original, if the Defendant, for Delay, or thro' any Mis-entry or Mistake in the Proceedings or Return of Procces, is advised to bring a *Writ of Error*; the *Writ of Error* must be returnable in Parliament, and not in the *Exchequer Chamber*, as are other *Writs of Error* upon Actions which are brought in this Court by Bill.

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Philizers and Exigenter.	Mr. Philip Hodges.
Mr. Robert Hastings.	Mr. Robert Hyde.
Mr. Thomas Stateham.	Mr. James Mead.
Mr. Martin Lantrow.	Mr. John Busby.
Mr. George Woodeson.	James Woodhouse Esq;
Mr. William Twyford.	Mr. William Hawbury.
Mr. Jonathan Ravenhill.	Mr. William Bennet.
Mr. John Withers.	Mr. William Osborne.
Mr. John Browning.	Mr. Henry Owen.

Clerk of the Rules.

His Office is to sit in Court before the Council, and take Minutes of the Resolution of the Court upon any Motions or Arguments (except on the Crown-Side), and afterwards attends at the *King's Bench* Office in the Afternoon, and draws up Rules in Form from the Minutes which he takes in Court: All Affidavits that are read in Court are filed with him, and he makes, and is paid for Copies thereof: He also gives Rules to plead, and Rules upon *Cepi Corporis*, *Habeas Corpus*, *Posteas*, *Writs of Enquiry*, &c. and for Prisoners of the *King's Bench*, which are called *Day-Rules*, to go out any Day in *Term-time*, to solicit their Suits, and consult their Counsel, Attornies and Solicitors, about their Affairs, so as they return in the Evening; which Rules are granted upon a Petition of the Prisoners, preferred and read to the Court upon their first Sitting.

Clerk of the Rules, | Mr. James Munday.

The *Clerk of the Errors* Business is to allow all *Writs of Error* that are brought to him, and gives a Note under his Hand to the Plaintiff's Attorney, in *Error*, of such Allowance; and the shewing this Note to the Attorney for the Plaintiff in the Action, is a good Stop and *Supersedeas* to all further Proceedings upon the Judgment, 'till the *Error* comes to be argued, which generally is four *Terms* Delay.

Delay. For he takes the Number of the Roll of the Plaintiff's Attorney, and then goes to the Treasury, and transcribes all the Proceedings from thence, which is the Business of one *Term*; and the Plaintiff's Attorney examines the same, and signs an Examiner upon the Transcript; the next *Term* is only alledged Diminution; the third *Errors* are to be assigned; and the fourth *Term* they are to be argued in the *Exchequer Chamber*: But if the *Writ of Error* be returnable in the Beginning of the *Term*; or if an Execution be lodged in the Sheriff's Hands, and not returnable then, he makes out a *Superfedeas* to the Sheriff, then the Record is transcribed in the same *Term*.

Clerk of the Errors.	His Deputy.
George Parker Esq;	Mr. Boswell.

The Clerk of the Errors, in the *Exchequer Chamber* Office, after the Transcript of the Judgment is delivered over to him, to see the *Errors* assigned, and make up the Books for the Judges against the Day of Argument, and gives them a Paper of the Names of the Causes to be argued: And the Barons of the *Exchequer*, and Judges of this Court, sit in the *Exchequer Chamber* upon one Day in the *Term*, to determine whether the *Errors* are sufficient or not; and after Judgment given, the Deputy makes a close Copy on Parchment of all the Proceedings, as well in the *King's Bench* as *Exchequer Chamber*, and annexes them with the *Writ of Error* to the Transcript, and gives them over to the Attorney, for whose Client the Judgment of the Court, upon arguing the *Errors*, is given, and he taxes the further Costs to be allowed thereupon, and attends also at the *King's Bench* Office in *Term*-time.

Clerk of the Errors in the	His Deputy.
<i>Exchequer Chamber</i> .	Mr. Fermin.
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Sal. 50 l. per Ann.	

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The Lord Chief Justice hath an Officer in Court immediately under him, a *Sociate*, who is so called from the Meaning and Signification of the Word, as his Companion; and he, for his Lordship's greater Ease, receives all Records that are brought to be tried, and opens them, and delivers them to the Lord Chief Justice, when the Cause is called to be tried, and takes a Receipt of the Attorney, for whose Client the Verdict is given by the Jury for the same.

Sociate.

| Mr. Capel Billingsley.

The Clerk of the *Nisi prius* sits under the Lord Chief Justice, and calls the Cause and the Jury by their Names, and reads all Deeds and other Exhibits which are given in Evidence; makes an Addition of Jury, in case those named in the Panel do not attend, who are called *Tales Circumstantibus*, &c. from the Statute, which provides, that when the Jury is not compleat, they may be filled up with Standers-by; he also takes the Verdict from the Jury, and marks the same, with the Costs, on the Back of the Panel.

Clerk of the *Nisi prius*. | Mr. Capel Billingsley.

Not only the Chief Justice, but every Puisny Judge hath his Marshal and Crier.

Entering Clerks.

The Number of these Gentlemen are not limited, but every one who hath served his Time to an entering Clerk, if his Master certifies his Service, (which must be five Years) he may be sworn; and the Business of an entering Clerk, is not only to prosecute and defend all Business for their Clients, but also to enter upon and carry into the Treasury all the Proceedings in the Causes to be filed and recorded, and for that Purpose they are allowed Rolls of Parchment and Ink; and they also enter

up the Proceedings, and carry in the Rolls for Attornies at large.

Entering Clerks.	Mr. Richard Rose.
Mr. Henry Mastermanfen.	Mr. Henry Waldron.
Mr. Francis Peniber.	Mr. Henry Athorpe.
Mr. George Matthews.	Mr. Benjamin Davis.
Mr. William Clark.	

Attornies at large.

Are those Gentlemen who are generally called Attornies, and these Gentlemen may practise in prosecuting and defending Suits for Clients, but must apply to an entering Clerk, to enter up and carry in their Rolls for them.

Clerk of the Declarations.

The Clerk of the Declarations keeps his Office in the *King's Bench* Office, and is under the Secondary, and his Business is to receive all Declarations, and file them against Prisoners in the *King's Bench*, against Attornies, and also all Defendants, where the Attorney for the Plaintiff cannot find the Defendant's Attorney to deliver it to him in Person.

Clerk of the Declarations. | Mr. Hitch.

Clerks of the Amercements.

The Clerks of the Amercements attend upon Puisny Judges the last Day of every issuable Term, and carry up to the Exchequer the *Estreet* of Issues upon Oath, to the Lord Chief Baron.

Clerks of the Amerce- } Mr. John Davis.
ments. } Mr. Charles Haddock.

Clerk

Clerk of the Dockets. | Mr. *Martin Lantrow*.

This Office is kept in the *King's Bench* Office, and every entring Clerk carries in to him, upon filing any Rolls, a *Minute* or *Docket* of the Causes on each Roll, and the Proceedings and *Term* they are of, and the Number-Roll, which he enters in a Book for that Purpose; and he keeps a Book in an Alphabetical Manner, in which all Attornies may, if they please, enter all general Issues; and the Attornies for the Plaintiffs ought cautiously to look if there be any Plea in this Book before they sign Judgment. It is, with this Officer, every Purchaser of Freehold Estates ought carefully to look for Judgments against the Vendor, for he keeps his Docket-Books exactly and methodically every *Term*, and in an alphabetical Method.

Clerk of the *Latitats* | Mr. *John Hawley*.

Keeps his Office also in the *King's Bench* Office, and signs all *Latitats*, *non omittas*, and other Writs, of which the entering Clerk or Attorney leaves a Note with him; and he enters these on a Roll, to which the Clerks and Attornies may have Recourse to search for any Writ by; and all Monies that are paid into Court are paid to him, and he takes the Fee and Money for the Certificate and Stamp of an entring Clerk, or Attorney, upon his being first sworn and admitted.

The Officer for signing } Sign-Office for Bills of
Bills of *Middlesex*, is } *Middlesex*.
Mr. *Gapper*.

Marshal of the King's Bench, *John Mullins Esq;*

The *Marshal of the King's Bench* Prison, is an Officer to whose Custody all Persons that are committed by the Court are sent, and all Persons that
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surrender'd themselves in Discharge of their Bail upon any Action, or that remove themselves by *Habeas Corpus*. His Prison is in *Southwark*, and he attends the Court in *Term-time*, and hath a Chair in Court to sit in, and keeps a Book in the *King's Bench* Office, which is called the *Marshal's Books*, in which the Clerks and Attornies enter all Surrenders and Commitments of Prisoners, to which any Person may have Resort *gratis*: And the Prisoners, when they would have Day-Rules in *Term-time*, apply to him to have their Names put in the Petition before mentioned; and he is answerable for any Prisoner that makes his Escape.

There is a Crier, and several Door-keepers and Tipstaffs (besides the Criers to each particular Judge upon his Circuit) belong to this Court.

And also a *Seal-Office*, which is call'd the *Green Wax Seal-Office*, which is kept in the *Inner-Temple Lane*, for sealing all Writs, as well issuing out of this Court, as out of the *Common Pleas*.

Sealer of the *King's Bench* Office, Mr. *Harrison*.

Note, *The Sheriffs of London and Middlesex Office, the Sign-Office for Bills of Middlesex, the Sign-Office for Latitats, the Seal-Office, are all kept after ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, for the easier Dispatch of Business, at the upper End of Westminster-Hall in Term-time, under the Courts of Chancery and King's Bench.*

The Crown-Office.

THO' none of the Officers under the Lord Chief Justice are employ'd in summoning a Parliament, yet many of them have Business in other Matters during the Sitting of the Parliament; as in
Cafes

Cases of *Error*, &c. but more especially on Trials of Peers, wherein the *Clerk of the Crown* is the chief Manager. He hath likewise, out of Parliament, all Indictments in the Crown, Informations, Recognizances; and a Multitude of other Business runs thro' his Hands, as the Writing of all Pleadings, Declarations, and other Proceedings upon Records; but the executive Part is left to his Secondary or Deputy.

Crown-Office.	His Secondary.
Clerk of the Crown-Office in the <i>King's Bench</i> .	<i>Hen. Masterman jun. Esq;</i>
<i>William Bellamy Esq;</i>	Clerk of the Rules on the Crown-Side. <i>Mr. Robert Celyard</i> , with eight other Clerks.

Court of Common Pleas: Its Jurisdiction.

THE Court of *Common Pleas* challengeth the greatest Variety of Law-Suits; for herein all Actions relating to Assurances of Lands, and other real Actions by original Writs are determinable, and also all *Common Pleas*, mixed or personal. The leading Process in that Court is a *Capias*; in the *King's Bench*, a Bill of *Middlesex*, or *Latitat*; in *Chancery*, a *Subpœna*. None but the Serjeants of the Coif, being next in Degree to the Judges, can plead in this Court; yet they are not prohibited from Pleading in any other Court of Law; whereas all other Graduates of the Law may plead in all other Courts, but not in this.

The Lord Chief Justice of the *Common Pleas* holds his Place by Patent (as the other Judges of this Court do) *Quam diu se bene gesserit*. He hath also his Writ of Summons to Parliament, called a *Writ of Assistance*, as the Lord Chief Justice of the *King's Bench* hath.

Lord Chief Justice.	Other Judges.
Sir Robert Eyre Knt.	Robert Price Esq;
	Alexander Denton Esq;
	Sir J. Fortescue Aland Kt.

The *Custos Brevium*, or Keeper of all Writs, is the first Clerk of the Court, whose Office is to receive from the *Prothonotaries*, all the Records of *Nisi prius*, call'd *Posteas*. He holds his Place by Patent from the King, and the second Prothonotary's Place, and the Clerk of the Juries, are in his Gift.

<i>Custos Brevium</i> Office.	His Secondary.
Right Hon. George-Henry Earl of Litchfield.	Walter Baynes Esq;
Sal. 600 l. per Ann.	

The *Prothonotaries*, or Chief Clerks, are by their Office to record all Declarations, Pleadings, Affizes, Judgments and Actions, to make out judicial Writs, &c. for all *English* Counties, except *Monmouth*. In their Offices, all the Attornies of the *Common Pleas* enter their Causes before Trial. They have each a Secondary, who are frequently the most eminent Attornies of the Court, whose Business it is to draw up the Rules of the Court, with other Matters relating thereto. The Chief Prothonotary swears all Attornies and other Officers.

Prothonotaries.	Third Prothonotary.
Chief Prothonotary.	John Borret Esq;
Sir George Cooke Knt.	Sal. 400 l. per Ann. each.
Second Prothonotary.	The Secondaries.
Richard Foley Esq;	Mr. Richard Derby.
	Mr. Charles Townsend.
	Mr. Richard Thompson.

In the *Chirographer's* Office are engrossed all Fines acknowledged, &c. Here are eight Clerks, who have their respective Counties for which they are to engross Fines levied of Lands in their several Divisions.

Chirographer. <i>Thomas Bennet</i> Esq; in Trust for the Relict of the late <i>Mountague</i> <i>Gerrard Drake</i> Esq;	His Secondary. <i>Joseph Bisco</i> Esq;
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Register of the Fine-Office, Dorrel Hawley Esq;

Has the Registring of all Fines, and is the proper Person to be applied to, to search for Fines.

N. B. *The Officers aforesaid of this Court, are all sworn, and hold their Employments for Life.*

Clerk of the Treasury, Mr. Thomas Maidstone.

Hath the Charge of keeping the Records of this Court; makes out Records of *Nisi prius* and other Matters. The Place is in the Gift of the Lord Chief Justice of the Court. He hath under him four Clerks.

Here are inrolled all Fines and Recoveries, which afterwards are of good Force and Validity.

They are under the three Puifny Judges, and removeable at their Pleasure.

Clerk of the Enrolments of Fines and Recove- ries.	} <i>Mr. Henry Barnes.</i>
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Clerk of the Errors, Benjamin Whiting Esq;

Makes all *Superfedeas's* upon *Writs of Error*, and transcribes all the Records of the Treasury, belonging to the *Common Pleas*, into the *King's Bench*.

Clerk of the Outlawries, Roderick Lloyd *Esq*;
 Makes out the Writs of *Capias Utlegatum*, after
 the Parties are returned outlawed, in the Name
 of the King's Attorney, whose Deputy he is *pro*
Tempore.

Clerk of the King's Silver Office, Will. Daw *Esq*;
 To him every Fine and final Agreement upon
 Sale of Land is brought, after it has been with the
Custos Brevium, who thereupon makes an Entry of
 what Money is due to the King. It is acted by a
 Deputy.

Clerk of the Warrants, Roger Burgoigne *Esq*;
 Enters all the Warrants of Attorney for Plain-
 tiff and Defendant, and inrolls all Deeds acknow-
 ledged before any Judges of the Court.

Is Clerk of the Effoins } Clerk of the Effoins.
 or Excuses for lawful } Mr. Thomas Clendon.
 Absence.

Clerks of the Jurats.

Enter and adjourn all Effoins, and keep an
 Alphabet of all Judgments. Likewise make out all
 Writs call'd *Habeas Corpora*, & *Distringas Jurato-*
rum, for the Appearance of Juries, either in this
 Court in *Westminster*, or at the Assizes in the Coun-
 try.

Clerks of the Jurats. } Mr. Thomas Duncomb.
 Mr. Thomas Maidstone. } Mr. Henry Perkins.
 Mr. John Talbot.

Clerk of the Superfedeas, Mr. ——— Norris.

The Clerk of the *Superfedeas* is held by Patent;
 but formerly such Writs were made out by the
 Exigenter, which are for superseding Outlawries,
 granted by Letters Patent in King James the
 First's Time. In

In this Court are also *Filazers* for the several Counties of *England*, so call'd from the *French* Word *Fil*, a Thread, because they file their Writs. These make out all Procefs upon original Writs, &c. The first of them is Prothonotary, Filazer and Exigenter of *Monmouth*, and holds his Place by Patent: The rest are all in the Gift of the Lord Chief Justice of this Court, and hold for Life.

Filazers.
Francis Gwynn Esq;
John Eyre Esq;
 Deputy.
Mr. Wilmore.
Mr. Thomas Ward.
Robert Eyre Esq;

Mr. Powell.
Mr. Thomas Allen.
Mr. Thomas Warden.
Mr. Magwick.
Mr. John Bicknall.
Mr. William Boycott.
Mr. Martin.

There is also an Exigenter, whose Business it is to make out all Exigents and Proclamations in all Actions, where Procefs of Outlawry lies. This Writ is call'd an *Exigent*, because it requires the Party to appear, and lies against one that cannot be found, nor any of his Goods within the County; so that after Summons by the Sheriff at five several County-Courts, if he appear not, he is outlaw'd.

Sole Exigenter, William Dighton Esq;

The Proclamator of the Court, the Keeper of the Court, four Criers, or Tipstaves, substitute to the Proclamator.

The Proclamator, Heneage Walker Esq;

The Warden of the *Fleet* is, by himself, or Deputy, to attend the Court; that Gaol being proper for all Commitments there, as well as in the Courts of *Chancery*, and *Exchequer*, and Dutchy of *Lancaster*.

Warden of the Fleet, Thomas Bambridge Esq;

The Court of Exchequer: Its Antiquity and Jurisdiction.

SOME of our best Historians are of Opinion, this Court was erected by *William the Conqueror*, soon after his Obtaining the Kingdom, taking its Form from the *Exchequer* establish'd in *Normandy* long before that Time. For the Authority and Jurisdiction of the Court of *Exchequer*, anciently, it was esteem'd so great, that the Acts thereof were not to be examin'd or control'd in any other of the King's ordinary Courts of Justice. The *Exchequer* was the great Repository of the King's Records; thither the Records of the Court holden before the King, of the Court of *Common Bench*, and of the Justices in *Eyre*, were brought to be laid up in the Treasury there; and at this Day, we find the ancient Rolls and Records of the *King's Bench*, *Common Pleas*, and Justices *Itinerant*, repositied there, under the Custody of the Treasurer and Chamberlain of the *Exchequer*. *Writs of Chancery* were sometimes made out at the *Exchequer*, and *Writs of Summons* to assemble Parliaments.

Rights of the Crown.

In ancient Times the Barons of the *Exchequer*, dealt in Affairs relating to Estate, or publick Service of the Crown and Realm. The *Exchequer* had Jurisdiction in Civil Causes, or *Common Pleas*, and was anciently held in the King's Court before the King; nay, it was adjudged in the Reign of King *Edward I.* that a Plea which concerned the King, ought to be determined before him. It was a Court greatly concerned in the Prerogative, as well as the Revenue of the Crown: At the *Exchequer* was the Care of the Treasurer and Barons to see, that the

Rights of the Crown were not invaded by such as claim'd Liberties, or Exemption so claim'd. And commonly when the King granted or confirmed Liberties by his Letters Patent, a *Close Writ* directed to the Treasurer and Barons, was wont to issue, reciting the Substance of such Grant or Confirmation, and requiring the Barons to allow thereof. The immediate Profits of the Crown, as of Franchises, Lands, Tenements, Hereditaments, Debts, Duties, Accounts, Goods, Chattels, all Disbursements, Seizures, and Fines imposed on the Subject, &c. are within the Jurisdiction of the *Exchequer*; and the King's Attorney may exhibit *English Bills* for any Matter concerning the King, in Inheritance or Profits.

Right of the Subject to sue in the Exchequer.

In like Manner, any Person that finds himself aggrieved in any Cause prosecuted against him on Behalf of the King, or any Patent by Grant of the King, may exhibit his Bill against the King's Attorney, and such others as are interested in the Cause to be relieved in Equity: In which Case the Plaintiff must attend the King's Attorney with a Copy of his Bill, and procure him to answer the same, who may consult those who are interested, or any Officer or other, touching the said Answer, so as the King may not be prejudic'd thereby; and his Answer is to be put in without Oath. Where an Officer or Minister is one of the Parties in any personal Action, any Man that is a Prisoner to this Court, or an Accountant, or any other that ought to have the like Privilege, shall not be sued in any personal Action, but in this Court; and he that is a Farmer of the Revenue, or indebted to the King, for the King's more speedy Satisfaction, shall sue his Debtor by a *Quo Minus* in the *Exchequer*.

Courts

Courts in the Exchequer.

In the *Exchequer* are seven Courts, namely, the Court of *Pleas*, the Court of *Accounts*, the Court of *Receipts*, the Court of *Exchequer Chamber*, being the Assembly of all the Judges of *England* in Matters of Law; the Court of *Exchequer Chamber* for all Errors in the Court of *Exchequer*; for Errors in the *King's Bench*, and Court of Equity, in the *Exchequer Chamber*: These are divided into two Parts, one of Law, the other of Equity, in which said Court of *Equity*, all Persons may have the same Relief as in *Chancery*. The Lord Chief Baron also sits in the Afternoon, both in Sittings, and after the *Term at Westminster*, on Trials by Juries, on Informations exhibited by the Officers of the Customs, Salt; both as Informations of Seizures, and Personal ones.

Barons of the Exchequer.

The Chief Judge of this Court is stiled Lord Chief Baron, and holds Place by Patent *Quam diu se bene gesserit*, as the Puisne Barons do. They are thought to be call'd Barons, because the Court of *Exchequer* was anciently manag'd by noble Barons. The Barons of the *Exchequer* are the sovereign Auditors of *England*; for if a Man assign Auditors to a Bailiff, or Receiver, to Account, and those Auditors will not allow just and reasonable Allowances, but commit the Bailiff, or Receiver to the Person, such Prisoner may have an original Writ, *Ex parte talis*, returnable before the Treasurer and Barons of the *Exchequer* for his Relief. The Lord Chief Baron, in *Term-time*, and in the Sittings out of *Term*, sits alone in the Afternoon in *Guild-Hall*, upon Causes which arise in *London*, and cannot be dispatch'd

dispatch'd in the Morning. He causes the Oath to be administer'd to the Lord-Mayor. The Lord Chief Baron, and the three other Barons, have also their Writ of Assisant, summoning them to the Lords House.

Barons of the Exchequer.

Lord Chief Baron.
Sir Thomas Pengelly Knt.

Other Barons.

Sir Bernard Hale Knt.
Sir Laurence Carter Knt.
Sir John Comyns Knt.

The *Curfitor Baron* has no such Writ, nor is an *Itinerant Judge*. He administers the Oaths to the Sheriffs, Bailiffs, and to Searchers, Surveyors, and other Officers of the Customs. He is call'd, *Curfitor Baron*, because he has usually been chosen from the most experienc'd Clerks of the two Remembrancers Office, and when the rest of the Barons are upon the Circuit. He takes Affidavits and Answers. *In the King's Gift.*

Curfitor Baron, Sir William Thomson Knt.

In the *King's Remembrancer's Office*, are entered the State of all Accounts concerning the King's Revenue for Excise, Subsidies, of all Aids granted by Parliament, and all others of what Nature soever, except Sheriffs and Bailiffs Accounts. Likewise for all imprest Money to any Person for Service perform'd in the Revenue. All Proceedings upon any penal Statute by Information upon Bonds and Recognizances taken in the King's Name, from Accountants, Officers, &c. for the faithful Discharge of their Duty, and transmitted to the *Exchequer*; and for several Debts due to the Crown: All Proceedings upon the said Bonds, &c. All Assurances of Lands granted to the King are kept here; and from hence issues Process to cause all
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Accountants to come in and render their Accounts. And finally, all Proceedings touching the Equity Part of the *Exchequer*, come from this Office. It is in the Gift of the Crown, and is for Life.

The King's Remem-
brancer.

Samuel Lord Massam.

His Deputy.

Charles Taylor Esq;

Secondaries.

Thomas Eyre Esq;

James Pearce Esq;

With six other sworn Clerks, each whereof has three Clerks under him frequently called Side-Clerks. There is also belonging to the *King's Remembrancer* four other Clerks, two of which are Registering Clerks.

In the Office of the *Lord Treasurer's Remembrancer*, are made out all Processes against Sheriffs, Receivers, Bailiffs, &c. for their Accounts, with many other Things of Moment, as Estreats, Rules, all Charters and Letters Patent, whereon Rents are reserv'd to the Crown, are transcrib'd and sent into this Office by the Clerks of the *Petty-Bag*, to the End that such Sums as are thereby payable may be transmitted to the Clerk of the *Pipe*, and Process be made thereupon. The *Green Wax* is certified hither, including Fines, &c. and deliver'd to the Clerk of the *Estreat*. Likewise all Process to levy the Fee-Farm Rents of the Crown, when the Auditors of the Revenue have made Schedules of Arrears, and sent them hither. The State of all imprest Accounts, &c. are also enter'd in this Office, as well as in the Office of the King's Remembrancer. In the Gift of the Crown, tho' anciently in the *Treasurer's Gift*.

Lord Treasurer's Re-
membrancer.

Robert Barber Esq;

His Deputy.

John Barber Esq;

Sworn

Sworn Clerks, Secondaries, &c.	Mr. Henry Thompson.
Mr. James Whitehead.	Mr. William Allanson.
Mr. Henry Bromfield.	Mr. Thomas Maddox.

The Pipe-Office.

THE Clerk of the Pipe makes out the Leases of the Crown Lands, by Warrant from the Lord Treasurer and Chancellor of the *Exchequer*, or Lords Commissioners of the *Treasury*. All Accounts of Sheriffs, &c. are made up by the Clerk of the Pipe, and he gives the Accountants their *Quietus est*. To this Office are brought all Accounts which pass the Remembrancer's Office, and remain there; that if any stated Debt be due from any Person, the same may be drawn down into the great Roll of the Pipe; and the Comptroller issues out a Writ, call'd *The Summons of the Pipe*, for Recovery thereof. All Tallies, which vouch the Payment of any Sum contain'd in such Accounts, are examin'd and allow'd by the chief Secondary of the Pipe. *Clerk of the Pipe in the Gift of the King.*

Clerk of the Pipe.	Secondaries
Henry Holt Henley Esq;	William Wroth Esq;
	Charles Milbourne Esq;
Deputy.	With six other sworn
Francis Neale Esq;	Attornies.

The Comptroller of the Pipe keeps an exact Copy of the great Roll of the Pipe, and nothing can be discharg'd without his Privity; and when *Nichils* are returned, Schedules are made up by him to the Treasurer's Remembrancer. He also makes out Summons twice a Year to the Sheriffs, to levy Debts charged in the great Roll. *In the Gift of the Chancellor of the Exchequer.*

Comptroller of the Pipe, John Pottinger Esq;

In the Office of *Clerk of the Pleas*, the Officers of the *Exchequer*, and other privileged Persons, Debtors of the Crown, are intitled to their Privilege of Pleading, and being impleaded, with Relation to all Matters at Common Law; and the Proceedings are accordingly by Declaration, Plea, and Trial; which Privilege is granted, that the Officers shall not be drawn out of their own Courts, where their Attendance is necessary. *In the Gift of the Chancellor of the Exchequer.*

Clerk of the Pleas.		Secondary and First Attorney.
Hon. <i>Edw. Walpole Esq;</i>		<i>John Forster Esq;</i>
		Three other Attornies.

The *Foreign Apposer* is to oppose all Sheriffs upon the Summons of *Green Wax*; and forthwith, after every such Apposal, to send the whole Charge, wherewith every Sheriff charges himself, to the *Pipe*, there to be added to the other Charge of each Sheriff, upon his Account in the great Roll, &c. *In the Gift of the Lord Treasurer.*

Foreign Apposer.		His Deputy.
<i>Fr. Cudworth Massam Esq;</i>		<i>Mr. William Roberts.</i>

The *Clerk of the Estreats* receives the *Estreats* every *Term*, or Extracts out of the Office of the Lord Treasurer's Remembrancer, and writes them out, in order to be levied for the Crown. Likewise makes Schedules for such Sums as are discharged; and is as it were an Assistant to the Comptroller of the *Pipe*. *In the Lord Treasurer's Gift.*

Clerk of the Estreats.		His Deputy.
<i>John Cooke Esq;</i>		<i>Mr. William Booth.</i>
Surveyor of the Green Wax.	}	<i>In the King's Gift.</i>
<i>Nathaniel Booth Esq;</i>		

Clerk

Clerk of the Nichils. } *In the Chancellor's Gift.*
 Mr. *Thomas Huxley.*

To the *Marshal* is committed the Keeping of the King's Debtors during *Term-time*; and if they do not make Satisfaction of the King's Debts, they are to be farther imprisoned. He also appoints Auditors to Sheriffs and Collectors, &c. for taking their Accounts. *In the King's Gift.*

Marshal of the Court, Mr. Baker.

Auditors of the Imprest.

They have the Charge of auditing all great Accounts of the King's Customs, naval and military Expences, First-Fruits and Tenths, Ward-Robe, and Mints, &c. *In the King's Gift.*

Hon. *Edward Harley* Esq; Hon. *Thomas Foley* Esq;

Auditors of the Revenue.

These audit all the Accounts of the Crown Revenues, and Taxes given by Parliament: And likewise usually make up the Accounts of the Receivers of the Revenue. They are in the *King's Gift*; as are also the Auditor and Receiver for the Dutchy of *Cornwal*, when there is no Duke of *Cornwal*. All the Receivers General of the King's Revenue, are in the *King's Gift*.

<i>Thomas Jett</i> Esq;	Remembrancer of the	
	First-Fruits.	
For the Principality of	Duke of <i>Grafton</i> .	
<i>Wales.</i>	His Deputy.	
<i>Sidney Godolphin</i> Esq;	Mr. <i>Ayris</i> .	
For the Dutchy of <i>Corn-</i>	Reciever.	
<i>wall.</i>	<i>Edward Barker</i> Esq;	
Hon. <i>Albemarle Bertie</i> .	Comptroller.	
	<i>Joseph Mason</i> Esq;	
	Z 2	<i>Chief</i>

Chief Usher of the Court of Exchequer.

Hath the Keeping of the Court of *Exchequer* by Inheritance, provides Necessaries both for the *Exchequer* and the *Receipts*, and sees that all the Doors, Chests, &c. be in Safety. He hath also under him four Under-Ushers, who are in his Gift, as are also the six ordinary Messengers, who are employ'd to carry Procefs to Sheriffs, &c.

Chief Usher, Heneage Walker Esq;

There are also a Sealer of the Court, and two Appraisers concerning Uncustom'd Goods; who are in the Chancellor and Under-Treasurer's Gift.

His Majesty's Attorney General.

Sir Philip York Knt.

THE *Attorney General* hath his Office by Patent. To him come Warrants for making out Patents, Pardons, &c. He is at the Head of managing all the Law Affairs of the Crown, either in criminal Prosecutions, or otherwise; more especially in Matters of Treason, Sedition, &c. In all Courts he pleads within the Bar; but when a Privy Counsellor (which often happens), he cannot plead in any Court, but on the King's Affairs, without obtaining a Privy Seal for so doing. There is no Salary annex'd to this Office, but the Perquisites arising by Patents, Pardons, and Fees for pleading the King's Causes, &c. are so considerable, as to make this Office worth 5000 *l. per Annum*.

Solicitor General, Charles Talbot Esq;

The *Solicitor General* hath likewise his Office by Patent, during the King's Pleasure, in whose Gift both these great Offices are. They had anciently a Right to their Writs of Summons, to sit in the
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Lords House on special Occasions, 'till the 13th of Car. II. since which they have almost constantly been chosen Members of the House of Commons. He hath the same Care and Concern in managing the King's Affairs, and hath Fees for Pleadings, besides other Fees arising by Patents, &c. The *Solicitor General* as well as the *Attorney General* have their Attendance on the *Privy Council*, and were anciently always reckon'd among the Officers of the *Exchequer*, tho' they have Audience and come within the Bar in all other Courts; their Places being in the *King's Gift*.

Serjeants and Counsel.

Serjeants.

Sir *Nicholas Hooper.*

Sir *John Cheshire.*

John Sheppard Esq;

William Chappel Esq;

Counsel.

Thomas Lutwyche Esq;

John Aglionby Esq;

William Lee Esq;

Hon. *John Finch Esq;*

Thomas Reeves Esq;

John Willes Esq;

Hon. *John Verney Esq;*

Francis Fane Esq;

His Majesty's Justices of the Grand Sessions for the several Counties of Wales, who hold for Life.

Richard Carter Esq;

Hon. *John Verney Esq;*

Hon. *John Trevor Esq;*

William Beeson Esq;

John Willes Esq;

William Jessop Esq;

Thomas Martin Esq;

Mr. *Serjeant Chappel.*

} For *Brecon, Glamorgan,*
} and *Radnorshires.*

} For *Carmarthen, Pem-*
} broke, and *Cardiganshires.*

} For *Montgomery, Flint,*
} *Denbighshires, & Chester.*

} For *Carnarvon, Merioneth-*
} shires, and *Anglesey.*

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Ecclesiastical Courts, and Judges of the Civil Law.

THE *Arches* Court is the highest Ecclesiastical Court of the Archbishop of *Canterbury*, so called from the arch'd Church and Tower of *St. Mary le Bow*, where they originally held their Sitings. Here Suits between Party and Party, within the Province of *Canterbury*, are decided. The Dean whereof hath Jurisdiction over a Deanery, consisting of thirteen Parishes within *London*, exempt from the Jurisdiction of the Bishop of *London*. Hither are likewise directed all Appeals in Spiritual Matters within the said Province of *Canterbury*. The Advocates in this Court are all Doctors of the Civil Law, and have usually their Residence in *Doctors Commons*, where the Court is kept.

Dean and Official Principal of the *Arches* Court of *Canterbury*, Dr. *John Bettefworth*.

The *Register*, who may act by a Deputy, is to attend the Court, and receive all Libels, Bills, Allegations, and Matters exhibited by Witnesses. To file all Sentences, and keep the Records of the Court.

Registers of the *Arches* Court, *William Folkes*,
Bryan Russworth Esqs;

The *Beadle* pays his Attendance on the Court, carries a Mace before the Judge, and calls the Persons cited to appear.

Beadle, *William Walters*.

There are 27 *Proctors* belonging to this Court, who act by exhibiting their Proxies for their Clients,

ents, for whom they make themselves Parties. They draw up Acts and Pleadings in Causes, manage Evidence, and prepare Causes for Sentence, attending on the Advocates with their Proceedings; and are indeed to Clients, what Attornies and Solicitors are in the other Courts of Law. They are admitted by the Archbishop's *Fiat*, and are allowed to practise as soon as they are admitted, and have taken the Oaths.

Prerogative Court.

JUDGES of Estates fallen by Will, or such as die *Intestate*; and is so called, because the Archbishop by his Prerogative, hath Power throughout his whole Province, where the Party at his Death had five Pounds or upwards, in several Dioceses. The like two Courts hath the Archbishop of *York*. All Citations and Decrees run in the Name of the Archbishop. This Court is kept in the common Hall in the Afternoon next Day after the *Arches*. The Judge is attended by the Register, who sets down the Decrees and Acts of Court; and keeps Records, &c. All the Places belonging to this Court are in the Gift of the Archbishop.

Judge of the *Prerogative Court of Canterbury*, Master of the Faculty, Chancellor of the Diocese of *Rocheſter*, Dr. *John Betteſworth*.

Court of Peculiars.

THE Court of *Peculiars* deals in the several Parishes lying in the several Dioceses, which Parishes are exempt from the Jurisdiction of the respective Bishops of those Dioceses, and are peculiarly belonging to the See of *Canterbury*.

Dean and Commissary of the *Peculiars* belonging to the See of *Canterbury*, Dr. *John Betteſworth*.

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High Court of Admiralty.

THIS Court was erected for the Decision of Maritime Controversies, Trials of Malefactors for Offences committed at Sea, &c. The Writs and Decrees run all in the Name of the Lord High Admiral, or Lords Commissioners for executing that Office. To this Court belongs an Advocate General to the King, a Register, and Marshal General, who carries a Silver Oar before the Judge. The Lord Admiral hath also his Advocate and Proctor; and all other Advocates and Proctors are presented by them, and admitted by the Judge.

Judge of the High Court
of *Admiralty*.

Sir *Henry Penrice* Knt.
who is Chancellor of
the Diocese of *Gloucester*, and Official to
the Archdeaconry of
Middlesex.

His Majesty's Advocate
General for this Court.

Richard Fuller Esq;

Register.

Samuel Hill Esq;

The Archbishop of *Canterbury*, as he is Primate, hath the Guardianship of all the Spiritualities of every Bishop within his Province, during the Vacancy; in which he executes all Episcopal Orders, by his Vicar General. The Vicar Generals and Chancellors are appointed by the respective Archbishops and Bishops, confirmed by the Dean and Chapter.

Vicar General to the most Reverend Father in God,
William Lord Archbishop of *Canterbury*, Commis-
sary of the Royal Jurisdiction of St. *Katharine's*,
and Register of the Faculty, Dr. *George Paul*.

Chancellor of the Diocese of *Canterbury*, Commis-
sary of the said Diocese, Dr. *Thomas Bouchier*.

Court

Court of Delegates.

THIS is the highest Court for Civil Affairs that concerns the Church; for the Jurisdiction whereof it was provided, 25 *Hen.* 8. That it shall be lawful for the Subject, in case of Defect of Justice in the Ecclesiastical Courts, to appeal to the Sovereign in his Courts of *Chancery*; whence a Commission is directed under the Great Seal to particular Persons therein nominated, for Redress of Judgment; so that from the highest Ecclesiastical Court, there lies no Appeal but to the Court of *Delegates*; and beyond this, to no other, except the *House of Lords*. But the King, of his free Will, may grant a Commission of Review under the Great Seal. The Citations run all in the King's Name.

Register of the High Court of Delegates, *Samuel Hill Esq;*

Dutchy-Court of Lancaster.

THIS Court was anciently a Kind of *Chancery Court*, for the Hearing Matters that occur'd within the Dutchy; wherein the Chancellor of the Dutchy was Judge: But there was a Restriction, by Stat. 16 *Car.* II. and it now chiefly takes Cognizance of such Causes as any Way concern the Revenue belonging to the Dutchy. The Chief Judge of the Court is call'd *Chancellor of the Dutchy of Lancaster*; and is assisted therein by two Judges, an Attorney General, and other proper Officers, both in the Court of the *Dutchy-Chamber* held at *Westminster*, and that held within the County Palatine of *Lancaster*, at *Preston*. In which last he has the Assistance of a Vice-Chancellor, as well as an Attorney General.

Chancellor of the Dutchy
of Lancaster.

The Most Noble *John*
Duke of Rutland.

Attorney General.
Thomas Reeves Esq;

Receiver General.
Honourable *Rich. Lech-*
mere Esq;

Auditors.
William East Esq;
Thomas Wyndham Esq;

Clerk of the Dutchy.
The Hon. Sir *Thomas-*
Lumley Saunderson Kt.
of the Bath.

King's Serjeant.
John Fenwick Esq;

King's Counsel.
Hon. *John Finch Esq;*
Thomas Trevor Esq;

Secretary.
Vacant since the Death
of *Thomas Stevens.*

Record Keeper.
— *Wainwright.*

Attornies.

Mr. Thomas Asheton.

Mr. John Page.

Usher.

John Grubb Esq;

Deputy Clerk and Re-
gister.

Mr. John Wolfe.

With two Attornies, an
Usher, Deputy-Usher,
and Messenger.

Officers under the Chan-
cellor in the Court
held at *Preston, &c.*

Vice-Chancellor.

Henry Ashurst Esq;

Attorney General.

John Fenwick Esq;

Chief Clerk and Register
Charles Ford Esq;

Clerk of the Crown.
John Thornton Esq;

Clerk of the Peace.
George Kenyon Esq;

A Prothonotary and five
Attornies.

Lord Great Chamberlain of ENGLAND.

THIS Office was anciently enjoy'd by the Earls of *Oxford*, and so pass'd, with some little Interruption, till the Time of Queen *Elizabeth*, when by the Marriage of *Peregrine Bertie*, Lord *Willoughby* of *Eresby*, with the Heir General of the Earls of *Oxford*, it became Hereditary in the Family of *Bertie*, who after some Disputes about the Title, did attain it intirely in the Reign of King *Charles I.* To this great Office has anciently belonged Livery and Lodging in the Royal Court, and certain Fees due from the Archbishops and Bishops, when they perform their Homage to the Sovereign: And for all the Peers of the Realm at their Creation, or performing Homage. At every Coronation, he claims forty Ells of Crimfon Velvet for his own Robes; and likewise the Bed and all the Furniture of the King's Chamber; he carries the Gloves and Linen us'd by the King at the Coronation; he carries the Sword and Regalia for the Coronation; and has a very near and particular Attendance on the King's Person the whole Day. He has the Care of providing all Things in the House of Lords during their Sitting; and to this End, has an Apartment near the House: He has also the Government of the whole Palace of *Westminster*, and issues his Warrants for furnishing *Westminster-Hall* against Coronations, and Trials of Peers; and the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, the Yeoman Usher, and Door-keepers are under his Command; and upon all solemn Occasions, the Keys of *Westminster-Hall* and *Court of Requests* are delivered. When the King comes to Parliament, he disposes of the Sword of State to some Lord, to be carried before Him into the House, and goes

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himself on the Right Hand of the Sword, and the Earl Marshal, or Deputy, on the Left.

Peregrine Bertie Duke of Ancaster and Kesteven, &c.

Commissioners and Officers of His Majesty's Works, for building, repairing, and taking Care of all His Majesty's Houses, Palaces, Buildings, &c.

HON. Surveyor General.
Richard Arundel Esq; about 500 l. per Ann.
Comptroller General.

Thomas Ripley Esq; about 300 l. per Ann.

Surveyor of Gardens and Waters.

Charles Dartiquenave Esq; 400 l. per Ann.

Master Mason.

Nicholas Dubois, about 200 l. per Ann.

Master Carpenter.

William Kent Esq; about 200 l. per Ann.

Paymaster.

Hugh Howard Esq; about 500 l. per Ann.

Surveyor of the Roads.

William Watkins Esq; 200 l. per Ann.

Secretary.

Nicholas Hawksmore Esq; 100 l. per Ann.

Clerk Ingrosser.

John Strawbridge Esq; about 125 l. per Ann.

Clerk to the Board.

Leonard Wooddeson Gent. about 50 l. per Ann.

Clerk to the Comptroller.

Thomas Kynaston Gent. about 50 l. per Ann.

Clerk Itinerant.

Isaac Ware Gent. 50 l. per Ann.

Artizans having Salaries.

Scavenger.

Robert Bedoe. 100 l. per Ann.

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Purveyor.

Robert Hardy, 90 l. per Ann.

Master Joyner.

John Smallwell, 90 l. per Ann.

Master Plaisterer.

Mr. George Worrall, 60 l. per Ann.

Master Bricklayer.

Thomas Churchill Esq; 60 l. per Ann.

Serjeant Plumber.

Joseph Roberts, 20 l. per Ann.

Master Glazier.

Mr. Charles Corner, about 20 l. per Ann.

Master Carver.

Mr. John Richards, about 40 l. per Ann.

Windsor Plumber.

Jos. Roberts, 18 l. per Ann.

All other Artizans are at the Appointment of the
Surveyor.

Clerks of the Works.

Clerk of the Tower.

Thomas Kynaston, 44 l. per Ann.

Clerk of Whitehall, St. James's, and Westminster.

Henry Fleetcroft, 90 l. per Ann.

Clerk of Somerset House.

Thomas Kynaston, 44 l. per Ann.

Clerk of Winchester.

Thomas Debonison, 44 l. per Ann.

Clerk of New Market.

Tho. Fort, about 56 l. per Ann.

Clerk of Hampton Court.

Tho. Fort, 60 l. per Ann.

Clerk of Kensington.

Hen. Joynes, 60 l. per Ann.

Clerk of Windsor.

Tho. Rowland, 44 l. per Ann.

Clerk of the Meuse.

Tho. Bridge, 44 l. per Ann.

Clerk

Clerk of the Savoy.

Tho. Bridge, 44 l. per Ann.

Each Clerk to take a Labourer to his Assistance,
not to exceed 39 l. 10 s. per Ann.

Gardener to support, uphold and maintain all
his Majesty's Gardens, Green-Houses, &c. for
20 s. per Acre per Ann. *Charles Bridgman Esq;*

Office-Keeper.

John Perycar, 40 l. per Ann.

Messenger.

Peter Calton, 30 l. per Ann.

Porter.

*Edward Pritchard, 30 l. per Ann.**Of the Knights of the Bath.*

THE Order of the *Bath* was first instituted at
the Coronation of *Henry IV. Anno 1399*;
since which Time it has been customary for Kings
and Queens to create Knights at their Coronati-
ons, Marriages, Births of Princes, or any other
Time of publick Rejoycing. The Habits and
Ceremonies of Installation, were originally design-
ed as mystick Significations, which are too nume-
rous to be here inserted; we shall only give an
Instance or two, that the Reader may have some
Idea of the whole.

The white Girdle represents the Virtue of Cha-
stity, in Opposition to impure and criminal Love,
which they ought particularly to detest, as being
the avowed Guardians of Female Virtue and Ho-
nour.

The Coif, white Covering, and white Hat,
imports, That they ought to preserve pure Con-
sciences before God, and should be careful never
to do, never to design any Thing, for which
their Minds may inwardly challenge or reproach
them.

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The Blow on the Neck is intended as a Memorial to them, that they ought not to be insensible of any real Indignity or Affront; that Honour is a tender Point; and that no Impressions are sooner felt, or ought to be longer retain'd, than those whereby any Person suffers in his Character, as a Man of Honour.

A List of the Knights Companions of the most Honourable Order of the Bath, with their Esquires, and Principal Officers.

Knights of the Bath.

Esquires.

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| 1. HIS Royal Highness the Duke. | { Hon. Henry Ballendine.
Edmund Charles Blomberg,
Couthorpe Clayton. |
| 2. Duke of Montagu
Great Master. | { Charles Montagu,
Hugh Bethell,
Edward Montagu. |
| 3. Duke of Richmond. | { Matthew Snow,
Martin Foulkes,
Thomas Hill. |
| 4. Duke of Manchester. | { Charles Edwin,
Savill Cust,
Francis Hildersley. |
| 5. Duke of St. Albans. | { William Hall,
Charles James Kirk,
Anthony Cornish, Dead |
| 6. Earl of Leicester. | { William Rollinson,
Samuel Durell,
John Myster. |
| 7. Earl of Albemarle. | { John Huggins, jun.
William Sanderson,
Samuel Needham. |

8. Earl

*Knights of the Bath.**Esquires.*

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| 8. Earl of Deloraine. | { William Battine,
Daniel Petteward,
John Kneod. |
| 9. Earl of Hallifax. | { Fermor Lisle,
John Roberts,
John Robinson. |
| 10. Earl of Sussex. | { Simon Degge,
Daniel Houghton,
Stephen Martin Leake. |
| 11. Earl of Pomfret. | { Charles Fielding,
John Temple,
Edmund Allen. |
| 12. Lord Nassau Paulet. | { Richard Aldworth.
John Michel,
John Bromfield. |
| 13. Viscount Torrington. | { Robert Osborn,
William Beecher,
Edmund Bramston. |
| 14. Lord Malpas. | { John Mohun,
George Walter,
Francis Columbine. |
| 15. Lord Glenorchy. | { Frederick Thom,
Thomas Bruce,
John Orlibar. |
| 16. Lord Delaware. | { ——— Scawen,
John Dive,
John Lazoehe. |
| 17. Lord Clinton. | { Sir William Dudley Bart.
Henry Latton,
Joseph Fortescue. |
| 18. Lord Walpole. | { Major George Sawyer,
Cosby Phillips,
Thomas Coplestone. |

19. Sir

*Knights of the Bath.**Esquires.*

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| 19. Lord <i>Wilmington.</i> | { <i>William Fisher,</i>
<i>Thomas Parker,</i>
<i>John Noel.</i> |
| 20. Sir <i>William Stanhope.</i> | { <i>Sir Tho. Samwell,</i>
<i>John Neale,</i>
<i>Hon. William Hawley.</i> |
| 21. Sir <i>Conyers Darcy.</i> | { <i>Coote Moleworth,</i>
<i>Thomas Robinson,</i>
<i>William Robinson.</i> |
| 22. Sir <i>Tho. Lumley Sanderson.</i> | { <i>Thomas Wichcot,</i>
<i>Thomas Revell,</i>
<i>Henry Tallot.</i> |
| 23. Sir <i>Paul Methuen.</i> | { <i>Richard Frankland,</i>
<i>Thomas Holdip,</i>
<i>John Johnson.</i> |
| 24. Sir <i>Robert Walpole.</i> | { <i>Francis Fane,</i>
<i>Edward-Louisa Man,</i>
<i>John Fowle.</i> |
| 25. Sir <i>Robert Sutton.</i> | { <i>Thomas Hutchinson,</i>
<i>John Bristowe,</i>
<i>Christian Cole.</i> |
| 26. Sir <i>Charles Wills.</i> | { <i>Alexander Rose,</i>
<i>Francis Williamson,</i>
<i>Joseph Gascoyne.</i> |
| 27. Lord <i>Hobart.</i> | { <i>Henry Kelsall,</i>
<i>John Coppin,</i>
<i>William Morden.</i> |
| 28. Sir <i>William Gage.</i> | { <i>John Gage,</i>
<i>Edward Weston,</i>
<i>John Board.</i> |
| 29. Sir <i>Robert Clifton.</i> | { <i>Francis Wheeler,</i>
<i>George Baker,</i>
<i>Solomon Ashley.</i> |

*Knights of the Bath.**Esquires.*

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| 30. Sir Michael Newton. | { George Crowle,
Christopher Wywill,
Thomas-Lee Dummer. |
| 31. Sir William Tonge. | { Philip Lloyd,
Thomas Beal,
Thomas Martin. |
| 32. Lord Malton. | { Thomas Wentworth,
George Wentworth,
Godfrey Wentworth. |
| 33. Lord Monson. | { Philip Monson,
George Short,
William Ducket. |
| 34. Sir William Morgan. | { William Burdon,
Alexander Chocke,
Nehemiah Griffith. |
| 35. Lord Lovell. | { Ralph Wilbrabam,
Worcester Wilson,
John Raworth, Dead. |
| 36. Earl of Inchiquin. | { William Knight,
William Boyle,
Robert Barry. |
| 37. Viscount Tyrconnell. | { John - James - Richard
Midlemore,
Nevil King,
John Cooke. |

Principal Officers.

THE Right Reverend the Lord Bishop of Rochester, Dean of Westminster, and Dean of this Order.

Bath King of Arms, the Hon. Grey Longueville, Esq,

Genealogist of the Order, *John Anstis jun. Esq;*
Gentleman Usher of the Order, *Edmund Sawyer Esq;*
Secretary, *Edward Montagu Esq;*
Register of the Order, *Edward Tonge Esq;*
Messenger, Mr. *John Booth.*

Fees paid by each Knight Companion are as followeth, viz.

To the Genealogist, 12 Nobles yearly.
To the King of Arms, Register, Secretary, and
Gentleman Usher, 4 Marks yearly each.
To the Grand Master upon Election 138 Pounds.
To the Dean and Prebendaries upon Election,
22 l. 6 s. 8 d.
To the King of Arms, Genealogist, Register,
Secretary, and Gentleman Usher, upon Election, each 22 l.
To the Messenger, *ditto* 18 l. 13 s. 4 d.
For the Copy of the Statutes, Notice of Election, &c. ten Marks.
For the Escutcheon, twenty Marks
For a Dispensation, forty Marks.
For the Banner, fifteen Marks.
For the Helmet, Crest, Sword, and Mantling,
seven Marks.
To the Messenger, four Nobles yearly.
Besides all Fees settled by former Kings.

Of the Government of L O N D O N.

I Begin with the *Civil Government*, of which the Lord Mayor is Chief: A Magistrate, yearly chosen by the Citizens out of their own Body, upon *Michaelmas Day, Sept. 29.* and who enters upon
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his Office with great Solemnity, upon the 29th of *October* following.

The *City Government* is every way answerable to the National: For, as *England* is govern'd by King, Lords, and Commons; so is the City by the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Common Council.

So great is the Lord Mayor of *London's* Magistracy, that of all the Mayors in *England*, none but he, and of latter Times the Mayor of *Tork*, bear the Title of *Lord*.

His Authority reaches, not only over the City, and Part of the Suburbs, (except some particular Places) but also on the *Thames*, as far as the Mouth of it; and Westward, as far as *Stanes-Bridge*. He is the Chief Judge of *London*, and has a Power to Summon and to Imprison.

His House is a Court, and his Table open to all Comers of Quality. He has under him both great and small Officers, and among the first a Sword-Bearer, who has 100*l.* allowed him yearly for his Table. For his Diversion, he has a Kennel of Hounds always maintained, and the Privilege to hunt not only in *Middlesex*, but also in *Surrey* and *Suffex*. On the King's Coronation Day, he claims to be the Chief Butler. And it is observable, that when King *James I.* was invited to take Possession of the Crown of *England*, *Robert Lee*, then Lord Mayor of *London*, subscribed in the first Place, before all the Nobility.

When he appears abroad on Horse-back, it is with rich Caparisons, and always in long Robes; sometimes Purple, sometimes Scarlet, with a great Chain of Gold, and a rich Jewel to it, hanging from his Neck downwards; he is also attended by several Officers, walking before, and on both Sides of him. But the Greatness of this Magistrate, upon his Installation Day, is beyond any Thing of this Nature elsewhere.

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For the better Government of the City, it is divided into 26 Wards, and there is an Alderman assigned to every Ward. These 26 Aldermen are next to the Lord Mayor in Power and Dignity, and each has under him a certain Number of Common Council-Men, one of them his Deputy, besides Under-Officers. By the City Charter, the Aldermen that have been Lord Mayors, and the three eldest next to them, are Justices of the Peace of the City. Upon an Alderman's Decease, the Lord Mayor issues out his Precept to the Ward of which he was Alderman, to chuse two substantial Men of the City, and return their Names to the Court of Aldermen; which being done, the Lord Mayor and Court of Aldermen elect one of the two, such as they think fittest for that Station.

There is also a Recorder, who is an Assistant to the Lord Mayor, as to the Laws and Customs of the City, in which he ought to be well versed. His Place in Councils, and in Court, is before any Alderman that has not been Mayor. It is the Recorder that delivers the Sentence of the Court.

The two Sheriffs of *London* and *Middlesex* are also considerable Magistrates, especially in their Power to impanel Juries. They are yearly chosen at *Guild-Hall* on *Midsummer* Day, by the Livery-men; but not sworn till *Michaelmas* Eve, when they enter upon their Office. And if either of them refuse to hold, he is liable to the Penalty of 420 *l.* unless he takes his Oath, that he is not worth 10000 *l.* Each Sheriff has under him an Under-Sheriff, six Clerks, a certain Number of Serjeants, and every Serjeant a Yeoman. The Under-Sheriffs have also Clerks under them.

Lastly, There is a Chamberlain, an Officer of great Trust, being intrusted with the City Cash, and the Orphans Money. Therefore, when he takes his Office upon him, he must give good Security

rity to the Court of Aldermen, and is accountable to Auditors appointed to examine his Accounts. Part of his Office does also relate to Apprentices, over whom he has a great Authority. None can be bound without his License, nor can any Man set up Shop, or follow his Trade, without being sworn before him. If an Apprentice proves disorderly, or has committed any great Offence, Mr. *Chamberlain*, upon Complaint made thereof, and the Fact proved, may send him to *Bridewell*, or punish him otherwise, according to the Nature of the Offence. And if a Master misuse his Apprentice, he may relieve him, or leave him to take his Remedy against his Master in the Lord Mayor's Court. Mr. *Chamberlain* may also make an Apprentice Free, if his Master refuse to do it, when his Indenture is expired: But if his Master combines with his Apprentice to make him Free, before he has served him the full Term of seven Years, upon Proof thereof, they may be both fined at the Pleasure of Mr. *Recorder*.

As to the *City-Courts*, most of them held in *Guild-Hall*, I shall begin with the *Common Council*, which is the *City-Parliament*, consisting of two Orders, *viz.* *Lord Mayor* and *Aldermen*, representing the House of Lords, and the *Common Council-Men*, which represent the House of Commons. These last are in all 234, belonging to their respective *Wards*, of which some have more, some less. In this Court all *By-Laws* are made, which bind all the Citizens. A Stranger may be made free of *London* by this Court, and not otherwise. For the Dispatch of City Affairs, this Court appoints *Committees*, who make their Report, as Occasion requires. By this Court the *Commissioners* for the Sewers and Pavements, a *Governor*, *Deputy Governor*, and *Assistants*, for the Management of the City Lands in *Ulster* in *Ireland*, the *Garbler*, *Coroner*, *Bailiff* of *Southwark*,
Common

Common Serjeant, Town-Clerk, and Common Crier, are annually elected.

The *Court of the Lord Mayor* is a Court of Record, held in the Chamber of *Guild-Hall*, where all Actions may be entred and tried by a Jury as in other Courts, for Debt, Trespafs, &c. arising within the Liberties of *London*, and to any Value. The Recorder is the proper Judge of this Court, to which belong four *Attornies*, and six *Serjeants* at Mace; one of these constantly attending at the Lord Mayor's House, and the rest at the Attorney's Offices. *Tuesday* is the Day for Trials. The Charge of entring an Action is but 4*d.* besides the King's Duty. It may be brought to a Trial for 30*s.* Charge, and in 14 Days Time. An Action entred here remains in force for ever, tho' no Proceedings be had thereupon: Whereas it dies in the *Compters*, and may be crossed after 16 Weeks.

The *Court of Aldermen* is also a Court of Record, held in the Inner Chamber every *Tuesday* and *Thursday*, except Holy Days, and in the Time of Sessions of Gaol-Delivery. This Court does constantly appoint the Assize of Bread, and determines all Matters touching Lights, Water-Courses, and Party-Walls. Here must be sealed all Bonds and Leases, that pass under the City Seal: And by this Court the *Rulers* of the *Company of Watermen*, are annually elected and appointed.

The *Hustings* is a most antient Court of Record, always held in *Guild-Hall*, before the Lord Mayor and Sheriffs, the Recorder sitting as Judge with them. Here Deeds may be enrolled, Recoveries passed, Wills proved, and Outlawries sued out, Replevins, and Writs of Error, &c. determined. In this Court also is made the Election of the four Citizens of *London*, to be the Representatives of the City in Parliament.

The *Court of Gaol-Delivery* is usually held eight times a Year at the *Old Baily*, for the Trial of Malefactors in the County of *Middlesex*. The *Lord Mayor* is the Chief Judge of this Court, assisted by some of the Judges, the Recorder, and the two Sheriffs.

The *Two Sheriffs Courts*, held in *Guild-Hall*, the one by one Sheriff, every *Wednesday* and *Friday*, for Actions entred at *Woodstreet Compter*; the other, by the other Sheriff, every *Thursday* and *Saturday*, for Actions entred at the *Poultry Compter*. In these Courts may be tried Actions of Debt, Case, Trespas, Account, and Covenants broken, Attachments, and Sequestrations. And if either Party shall have a Witness that cannot stay in *London* till the Day of Trial, his Testimony taken in Writing will be allowed as good Evidence. To these Courts belong eight Attornies, whose Office is only to assist their Clients. Two *Secondaries*, who allow and return all Writs brought to remove all Causes out of these Courts. Two *Clerks of the Papers*, who draw the *Subpœnas*, for Witnesses to appear, file and copy all Declarations upon Actions in these Courts. Two *Prothonotaries*, who draw and engross all such Declarations. Eight *Clerk-Sitters*, who enter Actions and Attachments, and take Bails and Verdicts.

The *Chamberlain's Court*, or Office, kept in the Chamber of *Guild-Hall*, where he attends commonly every Forenoon, to enroll and turn over *Apprentices*, and to make such Free as have duly served the full Term of seven Years, and have not married, nor taken Wages in that Time.

The *Court of Conscience*, or *Request*, erected by Act of Parliament in the Reign of King *James I.* both for the Relief of poor Debtors that cannot make present Payments of their Debts under 40 s. and of poor Persons having small Debts owing to them,

them, but not able to sue for them. This Court sits in *Guild-Hall* every *Wednesday* and *Saturday* in the Forenoon, and consists of two *Aldermen* and four *Commoners*, monthly appointed by the Lord Mayor and Court of Aldermen. But any three of them make a Court.

The *Orphans Court*, held before the Lord Mayor and Aldermen, who are Guardians to the Children of all Freemen of *London*, that are, or shall be under the Age of 21 Years, at the Time of their Father's Decease. This Court meets but once a Year, viz. at *Guild-Hall*, on the *Monday Morning* after *Mid-Lent Sunday*, which is termed *Call-Day*. The *Chamber of London* was always counted the best Security, till in the Reign of King *Charles the Second*, the *Orphans Money* (among others) being lent to the King, was shut up in the *Exchequer*, neither Principal nor Interest being paid in that, nor the following Reign. Whereas before this Money was lent, when Orphans came to Age, or were married with the Consent and Approbation of the Court of Aldermen, they might at an Hour's Notice receive their Portions, if paid into the Chamber, Mr. *Chamberlain* and his Clerks, attending daily for that Purpose. The Use-Money was likewise duly paid.

At last, for Relief of the *Orphans*, and the other Creditors of the City of *London*, an Act was made in the late King and Queen's Reign, which settled a perpetual Fund to pay to the said Orphans, and the other Creditors, the yearly Interest of *four per Cent.* principal Money. Towards which the *City*, is charged with the annual Sum of 8000*l.* for ever, to be raised and paid out of the *City's* Revenues.

The Court for the Conservation of the *Thames*, held before the Lord Mayor, at such Times as he appoints, within the adjacent Counties to *London* and *Westminster*. The *Water Bailiff*, being the Lord Mayor's Deputy in this Case, ought, by his Office,

to give his Lordship Notice of all *Offences* committed by any Persons, contrary to the Orders made for the Preservation of the Broad and Fry of Fish in the said River. The Punishment whereof is in the Power of the Lord Mayor, and has been so Time out of Mind.

The *Pie-powder Court*, held every Hour during the first three Days of *Bartholomew Fair*, by *Stewards* appointed by the Lord Mayor and Court of Aldermen. Here are tried all Suits for petty Matters and Offences there committed, contrary to the Proclamation made on *Bartholomew Eve* in the Afternoon, for the better regulating this Fair. In this Court Justice ought to be summarily administered within three Floods and Ebbs of the Tide in the River *Thames*.

Besides the Courts aforesaid, every *Alderman* keeps a Court in his Ward, call'd a *Wardmote*, for Things relating to his *Ward*; particularly for the Election of Common Council-Men, and other Officers: For which the *Lord Mayor* issues out yearly his *Precept* to every *Alderman* to hold his *Wardmote*.

The Traders Companies have also their Courts, called *Hall-motes*, from their respective *Halls*; where they meet once a Month, to regulate what belongs to their several Trades.

From the *Civil Government* of *London*, I proceed to the *Military*. This City being by Charter a *County Corporate*, and a *Lieutenancy* of it self, the Power of a *Lord Lieutenant* is in the *Lord Mayor* and *Aldermen*, with other *principal Members* of the City, commissioned from the King to act as his *Lieutenants* in *London*, and order the *City Militia* with the same Power that other *Lord Lieutenants* have in their respective Counties.

Which *Militia* consists of six Regiments of Foot, making about 9000 Men, besides two *Regiments* of the *Hamlets* of the *Tower*, and the *Regiment* of *Southwark*.

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Lastly, In Church-Matters, this City is governed in chief by the Lord Bishop of *London*; to whom is committed the Care of the whole Clergy of this Place: For whose Maintenance there is in most Parishes, a *Parsonage*, or a *Vicarage-House*, with a competent Allowance; besides the Profits of Christenings, Marriages and Burials. As to those Parishes whose Churches were destroy'd by the dismal Fire in 1666, no Parson thereof is to have less than 100 *l.* and none above 200; but most have between 100 and 150 *l.* Which, in lieu of Tithes, is raised by rating the Houses and Shops therein proportionably to their respective Rents. But where-ever there is, either in City or Suburbs, a *Lecturer* and a *Reader*, besides the *Incumbent*, they have their Maintenance by a voluntary Contribution from the Parishioners.

A List of the Names of the Court of Aldermen and Sheriffs of the City of London; together with the Deputies and Common Council, (as returned by the several Wardmote-Inquests in their Indentures) and the Names of every Ward the Common Council belong to, for this Year 1729.

Farringdon Without 16.

FR. Child Esq; Alder.

John Johnson.

Alexander Master.

Joseph Partington.

John Dobins.

William Bott.

Joseph Pratt.

J. Chillingworth Dep.

Thomas Nash.

John Arnold.

Abraham Page.

Thomas Kiteriche.

John Child Deputy.

Henry Holloway.

John Innocent.

John Chaplin.

William Hollyday.

Farringdon Within 15.

Rich. Brocas Esq; Ald.

Richard Skinner.

William Owen.

John Everett Deputy.

Gabriel Sleath.

John Bosworth.

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Benjamin Bound.
Needler Webb.
Giles Mills.
Thompson Haines.
Henry Sisson.
John Searwell.
Hugh Bonfoy.
Henry Shepherd.
Robert Male.
Henry Trollop.

Cripplegate 12.

Sir J. Williams Kt. Ald.
William Patten Deputy.
Thomas Elton.
Thomas Nicholl.
William Timms.
John Clark.
Daniel Skinner.
Charles Hartley.
Rich. Bowater.
Rich. Farrington Deputy.
Henry Southouse.
Richard Barnwell.
Tho. Piddington.

Bridge 15.

Tho. Preston Esq; Ald.
Cornelius Herbert.
John Stuart.
Richard Durnford.
Benjamin Tyson.
James Pitts Deputy.
Ric. Lewis Springwell.
Joseph Goodchild.
Edward Archer.
John Cooper.
John Thomas.

James Heywood.
Henry King.
William Sheldon.
William Newland.
William Mingay.

Aldersgate 8.

Rich. Levett Esq; Ald.
Maj. John Snart Deputy.
Edward Chowne.
Richard Bayley.
Capt. Joseph Bird.
George James.
Samuel Ballard Deputy.
Thomas Skipp.
Samuel Smith.

Castle-Baynard 10.

John Barber Esq; Ald.
Benj. Tomlinson Deputy.
John Bateman.
John Gordon.
John Townscnd.
John Belchier.
William Innys.
William Lord.
Robert Territ.
Samuel Williams.
Arthur Osborne.

Queenhith 6.

Rob. Alsop Esq; Ald.
John Cox Deputy.
William Tew.
Edmund Bathurst.
Charles Blandy.
Thomas Northey.
Joseph Ayliffe.

Langborne 10.

Henry Hankey Esq; Ald.

John Colt.

George Champion.

Thomas Ravenscroft.

Sir Geo. Caswall.

James Martin.

Joseph Hankey.

Thomas Hoare.

William Hawys.

Thomas Eyles.

Gabriel Smith Deputy.

Coleman-street 6.

Sir Harc. Master Kt. Ald.

James Nutter Deputy.

Thomas Wilkinson.

Edward Roberts.

Zerub. Crouch.

Thomas Gibson.

Jonathan Bromley.

Bread-street 12.

Sir Rob. Baylis Kt. Ald.

Samuel Marsh Deputy.

James Townsend.

James Church.

John Coggs.

John Selwin.

John Radburne.

Richard Baylis.

Daniel Coggs.

Jerom Knapp.

Francis Batson.

Robert Cady.

James Budget.

Billingsgate 10.

Sir Ed. Bellamy Kt. Ald.

Stephen Boughton.

Samuel Nash.

James Jackson.

William Jenkins Deputy.

James Green.

John Gregory.

Samuel Bennet.

Roger Lynch.

Edmund Stephens.

Sir Joseph Martin Kt.

Bishopgate 14.

Sir Edw. Becher Kt. Ald.

John Hamers.

James Dansie.

John Potts.

James Bartlett.

Nathaniel Platt.

John May.

William Poole.

Richard Roddeway.

Peter Roberts.

Robert Fawdery.

Charles Sweeting.

Robert Rayment.

Henry Wily.

Ralph Leman.

Cordweynor 8.

Sir Will. Billers Kt. Ald.

Samuel Trench Deputy.

John Lancashire.

Round Lampard.

Daniel Phillips.

John Casbird.

Edmund Lewen.

John

John Day.
Walter Terbury.

Cornhill 6.

Sir Tho. Scawen Kt. Ald.
Richard Chauncy Dep.
John Wood.
Thomas Ryley.
Thomas Ridge.
John Salter.
James Coulter.

Dowgate 8.

J. Barnard Esq; Ald.
Joseph Bestieu.
Giles Henchman.
Jonathan Moor.
Charles Hughes.
Geo. Monk Deputy.
Roger Husbands.
William Jackson.
Capt. Benj. Hodges.

Walbrooke 8.

Sir John Tash Kt. Ald.
Michael Hillersden.
Richard West.
Samuel Keynton Deputy.
Daniel Austin.
William Farmer.
Nicholas Jacman.
John Sands.
John Grainge.

Vintry. 9.

Sir John Eyles Bar. Ald.
Edmund Trench Deputy.
Thomas Gregg.

Thomas Corbett.
Robert Kidd.
William Rouse.
Christopher Cheeseborough.
Stephen Prew.
Jerem. Braithwaite.
Daniel Towne.

Tower 12.

Sir Charles Peers Kt. Ald.
Samuel Tatem Deputy.
William Cleaver.
Henry Neale.
Robert Evans.
Robert Thornton.
Solomon Merit.
Sir Peter Eaton Kt.
James Beddingfield.
Richard Peele.
Samuel Nutt (mort').
Robert Lacy.
Joseph Taylor.

Candlewick 8.

Sir J. Thompson Kt. Ald.
Philip Austin.
Sir John Grosvenor.
Thomas Davis.
George Blakeley.
Barton Leane.
William Willcox.
Samuel Moore.
David Cook Deputy.

Broad-street 10.

Sir Ger. Conyers Kt. Ald.
Samuel Newey.
Richard Chauncy.

James

James Colebrooke.

John Lequesne.

Nathaniel Townsend.

Robert Burchall.

John Currier.

Richard Coupe.

William Townsend Dep.

Henry Soames.

Aldgate 6.

Micajah Perry Esq; Ald.

Savage Atwood Deputy.

Edward Saunderson.

Thomas Lingard.

Joseph Hiscox.

Thomas Sandford.

William Dawson.

Bassishaw 4.

Sir T. Lombe Kt. Ald.

John Smith Deputy.

William Monck.

John Shorey.

John Wheeler.

Portfoken 5.

Hump. Parsons Esq; Ald.

Thomas Hardwell.

Daniel Colcutt.

Robert Hall.

John Boswell.

Valentine Brewis Dep.

Cheap 12.

Sir Will. Humfreys Bart.

Ald.

Allen Webb.

Edward Tay.

—— Watts.

Edward Baker.

George Arnold.

John Spillet.

William Davis.

Thomas Port.

Robert Kendall Deputy.

Frederick Staunton.

John Hanbury.

Samuel Ashurst.

Lime-street 4.

Sir Richard Hopkins Kt.

Ald.

Street Arnold.

Henry Tombs Deputy.

James Philips.

Giles Vincent.

Common Council-Men
in all 234.

Sheriffs.

Richard Brocas Esq;

Richard Levett Esq;

A List of other Officers of the City of London, viz.

Recorder.	Bridge-Masters.
Sir <i>William Thomson</i> Kt.	————— Dead.
Chamberlain.	————— Dead.
<i>Samuel Robinson</i> Esq;	Hall-Keeper.
Common Serjeant.	Mr. <i>Daniel Collier</i> .
<i>John Lingard</i> Esq;	Four Esquires of the
Town-Clerk.	Lord Mayor's House.
<i>Thomas Jackson</i> Esq;	<i>Thomas Carbonnell</i> Esq;
Judges of the Sheriff's	Sword-bearer.
Court.	<i>Robert Cruttenden</i> Esq;
————— Dead.	Common Hunt.
<i>Simon Urlin</i> Esq;	<i>John Elderton</i> Esq; Com-
Four Common Pleaders.	mon Cryer.
<i>Thomas Garrard</i> Esq;	<i>Edw. Le Neve</i> Esq; Wa-
<i>John Stracey</i> Esq;	ter-Bailiff.
<i>William Moreton</i> Esq;	Carvers.
Comptroller of the	<i>Edward Gostlin</i> .
Chamber.	<i>Edward Brooksby</i> .
<i>Randolph Stracey</i> Esq;	<i>Robert Wilkins</i> .
Secondary of <i>Woodstreet</i>	Serjeant-Carvers.
Compter.	<i>Richard Tremnace</i> .
————— <i>Cooper</i> Esq;	<i>James Turner</i> .
Secondary of the <i>Poul-</i>	<i>Thomas Henshaw</i> .
<i>try</i> Compter.	Serjeant of the Chancel.
<i>Philip Jennings</i> Esq;	<i>Robert Wilkins</i> .
Remembrancer.	Yeomen of the Cham-
Mr. <i>John Lethullier</i> .	ber.
Solicitor.	<i>Daniel Collyer</i> .
Mr. <i>Charles Stracey</i> .	<i>William Shaw</i> .
Four Attornies of the	Four Yeomen of the
Mayor's Court.	Water-Side.
Mr. <i>John Smith</i> .	<i>William Shaw</i> .
Mr. <i>Thomas West</i> .	<i>Richard Green</i> .
Mr. <i>Charles Bainbridge</i> .	<i>James Bond</i> .
Mr. <i>William Round</i> .	<i>Thomas Boalch</i> .

Yeoman of the Chancel.	Mr. <i>Samuel Woodhouse</i> ,
<i>John Clark</i> .	Mr. <i>James Mount</i> ,
Under Water-Bailiff.	Mr. <i>Edward Hasted</i> .
<i>Peter Waistell</i> .	Four Clerk Sitters at
Six Young Men.	<i>Woodstreet Compter</i> .
Meal-Weighers.	Mr. <i>Thomas Sheppard</i> ,
<i>Edward Frost</i> .	Mr. <i>William Calvert</i> ,
<i>Robert Newton</i> .	Mr. <i>George Crew</i> ,
Yeomen of the Wood-	Mr. <i>Edmund Newton</i> .
Wharfs.	Farmer of the Markets.
<i>Elias Thomas</i> .	<i>Henry Parsons Esq;</i>
<i>William Serwen</i> .	Coroner.
Foreign-Taker.	<i>George Rivers Esq;</i>
Mr. <i>John Man</i> .	Auditor.
Marshals.	Mr. <i>John Ozell</i> .
<i>William Chamberlain</i> .	Clerk of the Chamber.
<i>Jones</i> .	Mr. <i>Charles Crump</i> .
Eight Attornies of the	Clerk to the Commissioners
<i>Sheriffs Court</i> .	of Sewers.
Mr. <i>William Tymms</i> ,	Mr. <i>William Martyn</i> .
Mr. <i>John Skynner</i> ,	Clerk of the Court of Re-
Mr. <i>Joseph Davis</i> ,	quests.
Mr. <i>John Dwyght</i> ,	Mr. <i>Thomas le Gendre</i> .
Mr. <i>James Graves</i> ,	Keeper of Newgate.
Mr. <i>William Theed</i> ,	<i>William Pitt Esq;</i>
Mr. <i>Richard Bolt</i> .	Keeper of Ludgate.
Mr. <i>Samuel Harrison</i> .	<i>Thomas Brouncker Esq;</i>
Two Prothonotaries.	Keeper of the Poultry-
Mr. <i>William Myers</i> ,	Compter.
Mr. <i>Richard Dann</i> .	<i>James Loddington Esq;</i>
Clerk of the Papers at	Keeper of <i>Woodstreet-</i>
the Poultry-Compter.	Compter.
Mr. <i>William Stewart</i> .	<i>Thomas Rigby Esq;</i>
Clerk of the Papers at	Clerk of the City Works.
<i>Woodstreet Compter</i> .	Mr. <i>George Smith</i> .
Mr. <i>Matthew Lancaster</i> .	Printer to the City.
Four Clerk Sitters at the	Mr. <i>George James</i> .
<i>Poultry Compter</i> .	
Mr. <i>Peter Burton</i> ,	

*Of the Government of WESTMINSTER.**Ecclesiastical Government.*

Samuel Lord Bishop of *Rocheſter* Dean.
 Lord Bishop of *Glouceſter* Sub-Dean, together with
 twelve Prebends.

Chapter Clerk.		The Receiver.
<i>Daniel Gell</i> Eſq;		<i>John Battely</i> Eſq;

THE Civil Government of the City and Liberty of *Westminster*, by ſeveral antient Charters and Grants from the Crown, is veſted in the Dean and Chapter of *Westminster*; but the Management of their Authority ſince the Reformation, has been put into the Hands of Laymen, choſen or confirm'd by the Dean and Chapter, or the High Steward or his Deputy.

By an Act of 27 *Eliz.* for the good Government of the City and Borough of *Westminster*, 12 Burgeſſes, and 12 Aſſiſtants were directed to be yearly choſen by the Dean, or the High Steward, or his Deputy, who have Power by that Act to puniſh according to the Laws of the Realm, or laudable and lawful Cuſtom of the City of *London*, all Matters of Incontinencies, Common Scolds, and of Inmates and common Annoyances, and have Power to commit Offenders to Priſon; and the Burgeſſes and Aſſiſtants, in their reſpective Wards, have the like Powers as Aldermen's Deputies in *London* have.

By ſeveral Acts of Parliament ſince made for erecting Pariſhes, and building Pariſh-Churches, the Number of Burgeſſes has been increaſed to ſixteen, and the like Number of Aſſiſtants.

There are Courts-Leet, and likewise Burgeſſes-Courts; at the Courts-Leet they ſwear the Leet Juries, Conſtables, Headboroughs, and other
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Leet Officers, and do the other Business of Courts-Leet; and the Burgeſſes, with the Dean and Chapter, High Steward, or Deputy Steward, act according to the ſeveral Powers given them by the before mentioned Act of 27 *Eliz.*

Right Honourable *Charles* Earl of *Arran* is the preſent High Steward, appointed by the Dean and Chapter of *Westminster*, and holds his Office for Life.

His Deputy, *John Cotton* Esq;

High Bailiff, *William Morice* Esq;

The High Bailiff is in the Nature of a Sheriff, has the Power of executing and returning all Writs, and Proceſs, impanelling Juries, as well for the Courts-Leet and Burgeſs-Courts, as the Grand and Petty Juries for the Quarter-Sessions at *Westminster*. He is the returning Officer in *Westminster* for electing Members of Parliament; all Fines and Forfeitures for Offences committed in *Westminster*, belong to him. He is appointed by the Dean and Chapter, and holds his Office for Life.

His Deputy, *Samuel Baldwin* Gent.

Chief Burgeſſes.

Mr. *Edward York*,
Mr. *John Mackreth*.

Burgeſſes.

Mr. *William Tuſnell*.
Mr. *Thomas Churchill*.
Mr. *William Skelton*.
Mr. *William Leeſon*.
Mr. *William Baker*.
Mr. *Henry Ordway*.
Mr. *William Bequmont*.
Mr. *William Seward*.
Mr. *James Stedman*.

Aſſiſtants.

Mr. *Thomas Richmond*.
Mr. *William Gaſs*.
Mr. *John Carne*.
Mr. *David Andſley*.
Mr. *Edward Hempſted*.
Mr. *Leonard Martin*.
Mr. *Thomas Nowell*.
Mr. *Samuel Cobley*.
Mr. *John Partridge*.
Mr. *Thomas Green*.
Mr. *Richard Ellis*.
Mr. *Thomas Nobbs*.
Mr. *Roger Jackſon*.

Burgeſ-

Burgeſſes.	Aſſiſtants.
Mr. Philip Davis.	Mr. John Williams.
Mr. John James.	Mr. Charles Napier.
Mr. William French.	Mr. Thomas Powell.
Mr. Robert Grimes.	
Mr. Thomas Cuthbert.	

William Nind Gent. High Conſtable.

The ſenior Aſſiſtant Burgeſs is always choſen High Conſtable, at the *Eaſter Court-Leet*, and holds his Office for a Year or longer; all the Petty Conſtables in *Weſtminſter* are in Subordination to him.

Clerk of the Court, Mr. Humphry Drew.

Coroner, Robert White Gent.

Appointed by the Dean and Chapter, and holds his Office for Life.

The City and Liberty of *Weſtminſter* have their Common Gaol, the Keeper whereof is appointed by the Dean and Chapter.

They have likewise their General Quarter-Sessions of the Peace and Gaol-Delivery.

David Middleton Eſq; is Clerk of the Peace, and appointed by the *Cuſtos Rotulorum*.

His Deputy.	Aſſiſtant.
Mr. — <i>Baugh.</i>	Mr. John Rolfe.

Alterations which have happened ſince this Work hath been at the Preſs, *viz.*

Robert Harmsworth Eſq; one of the Keepers of the Council-Office, deceased; and ſucceeded by *John Spenſer Eſq;*

Charles Juſtice, 1ſt Groom of the Pantry, dead.

William Murray, Furner in the King's Scalding-Office, deceased.

F I N I S.

